

ried it with him, and thrown it in some place removed from the scene of the crime.

## "FIRST IN EVERYTHING"



## WATCHMAN'S TALES KEPT HIM HIS JOB

Daily He Told Employer of Attacks on Revival Tent He Had Repelled.

POLICE DETAIL TO HIS AID

When Arrested He Says He Is a Deserter From Salvation Army.

William Ruhl, sometimes known as William Hoff, has unique ideas about obtaining a job and holding it. He also has original ideas, the police say, about deceiving them by weird tales that are not hampered by the presence of truth.

Ruhl was in Dayton Street Police Court Monday, accused of being a deserter from the Salvation Army.

Ruhl appeared a month ago at a tent at 220 Easton avenue, where Mrs. M. R. Woodworth-Etter was holding religious meetings. He told her that a number of bad men and boys in the vicinity had objections to the services she was holding, and were preparing to wreck her tent.

In order to save such a contingency, Mrs. Woodworth-Etter hired Ruhl as a night watchman.

Every night Ruhl guarded the tent and every morning he reported to Mrs. Etter that he had been attacked during the night, that rocks had been thrown at him and that only his courage and strategy had saved his life and the integrity of the tent. He exhibited piles of stones which he said had been hurled in his direction.

To further nail down his job, he caused the arrest of two boys, and they were fined in Dayton Street Police Court. Recent events have made the police conclude that possibly an apology is due those boys.

Several times the tent ropes were found severed.

**Police Found Only Peace.**

"The enemy did it," asserted Ruhl, and he told graphic tales of the struggle that he had had with the marauders. Finally Mrs. Etter, who believed the stories told by her night watchman, decided that the post was too strenuous for one man and that he was taking unnecessary risks.

She appealed to the police and special officers were detailed to watch Ruhl and the tent. They watched and saw nothing. But Ruhl's stories of assaults, bombardments and hero's defense were told regularly each day. And piles of rocks, were exhibited as proof of the verity of the attack that he had withstood.

Sunday night Ruhl was arrested and taken to Dayton Street Police Station. There he began talking. He said he was a deserter from the army and two policemen argued with him an hour before he would tell more particulars.

Then he said that he was formerly a member of Company B, Fifth Infantry, and that he had deserted in New York. When news had reached the police, he was taken to the police station.

He was not the regular army, you know. It was the Salvation Army.

Monday Ruhl changed his stories and claimed he was a deserter from the Salvation Army and said that the police had forced him to make a confession that he was not true.

But he stuck to his tales of fearsome attacks while guarding Mrs. Etter's tent.

Barfoot sandals for man, woman or child. See windows for prices at Boehmer's.

**Warrant for Saloon Keeper.**

Today the heat wave has disappeared. A warrant was issued Monday for Strick Weller, who has a saloon at 11th and Walnut streets, East St. Louis, charging him with violating the midnight closing of saloons.

**Everybody Says "20th Century Soap"**

It is the Best Soap for all Purposes

It is numbered among the household necessities and making new friends every day.

Contains no lye; is made of strictly pure vegetable oils and is an absolutely pure soap.

Keeps the hands white and velvety. For cleaning metals, glass, carpets, rugs, woodwork, mirrors, windows, linoleum and hardwood floors, as well as for washing colored clothes and flannels and all kinds of fine fabrics, laces, linens, silks, etc., in fact, it is good for anything that needs washing. At all dealers.

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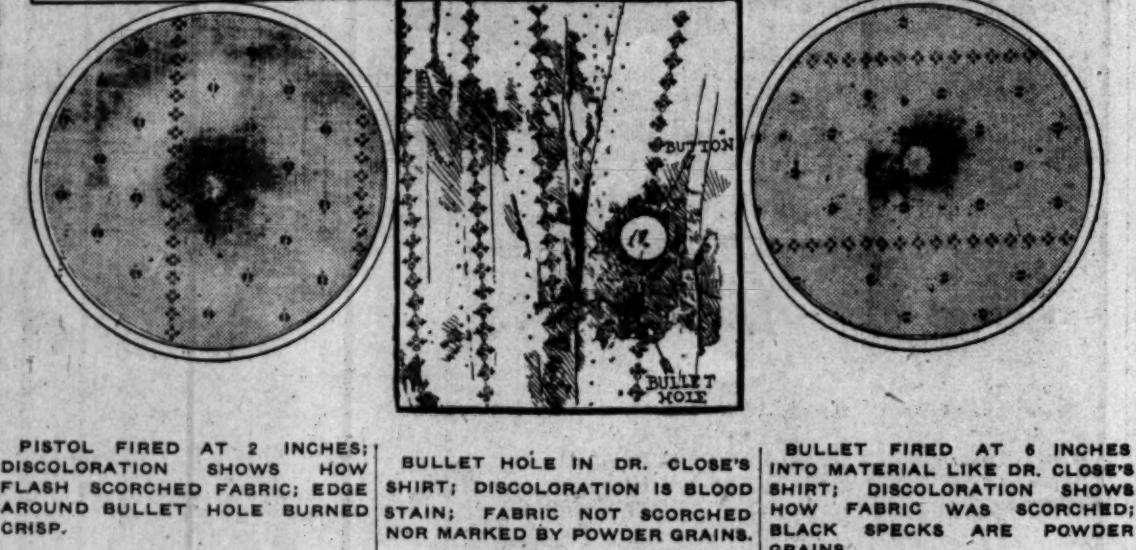
**FORD & DOAN,**

312-14 N. Second St.

St. Louis has more Post-Dispatch readers every day than it has homes. "First in everything."

## Did Dr. Close Fire Shot That Killed Him? Powder Burns in Experimental Shots Indicate HE DID NOT

DR. CLOSE'S REMARKABLE COLLECTION OF PISTOLS.



PISTOL FIRED AT 2 INCHES; DISCOLORATION SHOWS HOW LASH SCORCHED FABRIC; EDGE AROUND BULLET HOLE BURNED CRISP.

BULLET HOLE IN DR. CLOSE'S SHIRT; DISCOLORATION IS BLOOD STAIN; FABRIC NOT SCORCHED NOR MARKED BY POWDER GRAINS.

BULLET FIRED AT 6 INCHES INTO MATERIAL LIKE DR. CLOSE'S SHIRT; DISCOLORATION SHOWS HOW FABRIC WAS SCORCHED; BLACK SPECKS ARE POWDER GRAINS.

**MANY SEEK HOMES IN SUBDIVISIONS**

Remaining Lots in Tower Grove Heights to Be Disposed of This Afternoon.

As a result of the liberal use of the advertising columns of the Post-Dispatch sales at the various subdivisions Saturday and Sunday were marked by a very large attendance. While there was some speculative buying, the majority of the purchases were home-seekers with immediate building plans.

The Tower Grove Heights auction sale was resumed this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Two hundred and eighty-six thousand dollars of lots were sold there Saturday. Mr. Anderson, Vice-President of the Mercantile Trust Co., said this morning that remaining ones would be cleaned up at this afternoon's sale.

The bidding at Saturday's sale, he said, was spirited throughout and the property was knocked down in rapid order, bargains in almost every instance being secured.

Fairbanks Park is entirely out of the market. This tract was presented by David P. Leahy Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. It is subdivided into 106 lots. Sixty-five were sold Saturday and the remaining 41 were disposed of Sunday afternoon. Fairbanks Park is located at St. Louis and Belt avenues. It is one of the most desirable medium priced residence tracts that has been placed on the market this year.

The Edgewood Park sale will not take place until next Saturday. Hundreds of home-seekers visited this property yesterday, however, and from the interest evinced the indications are that it will not remain long on the market. This tract is being handled by the Franklin Investment Co., in the De Menil Building. It is located on the main line of the Suburban Railway, in Northwest St. Louis, and is beautifully situated for residence purposes.

Large crowds were also present at Olive Heights. This sale will be held next Saturday. Olive Heights is located just north of the Olive street road, and accessible from the city by several rapid transit lines. The lots there are most desirable for residence purposes, and it is predicted that they will enjoy a quick sale. This tract is being marketed by Orono E. Scott & Co.

**WABASH CHANGE OF TIME.**

On and after June 25, train now leaving St. Louis for Toledo, Pittsburgh, Detroit, Buffalo, New York and Boston at 9:56 p. m. will leave at 8:30 p. m.

See our windows for reduced prices on boys' and girls' tan shoes. Boehmer, 410 Broadway.

**Buggy Struck by Car.**

Mrs. William J. Fitzgerald of 4025 Easton avenue received two scalp wounds by being thrown from a buggy struck by a car on the Grand avenue viaduct Sunday night. After being treated at City Hospital she was sent home. The buggy was damaged to the extent of \$75.

Tennis shoes for man, woman or child. See windows for prices. Boehmer, 410 Broadway.

**COLLISION INJURES ELEVEN.**

NEW YORK, June 18.—In a rear-end collision between two trolley cars at Manhatt, L. I., 11 persons have been injured, some of them quite seriously. Some were thrown from their seats, others being trampled on by the crowd in their efforts to get free from the wreck. Both cars were bound for New York, crowded with home-going passengers, and in the country.

Sleeping cars en route to New York City without thanks to Big Four.

## WHY WHIN IS IDENTIFIED BY PRETTY GIRL

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE.

In the Grand Leader, I had as much trouble finding the safety-pin counter as I had getting ribbons at the May Store. Many of those clerks ought to remember the blushing young man with the ribbon in his coat, asking for safety-pins.

"Large of small?" asked the salesgirl, when I found her.

"Medium," I told her. The pins cost six cents.

Leaving by the Broadway entrance, after a fearful struggle to get through the crowds of shoppers, I walked north on Broadway to the Famous.

I had lots of fun finding the thread counter and think I must have worried half a dozen floor-walkers and several dozen girl clerks before I located it.

I asked for Clark's thread, but the brown-haired girl told me that it is just as good. Then began the convention of the thread girls.

And then, as told above, departed from me that burdensome fifty dollars.

**MISS LANG'S MATES CONGRATULATE HER.**

"The girl that wouldn't take a dare" is the heroine of the Famous department store. Her friends who laughed when Emma Lang accented the representative of Ivan Whin as he made purchases at the notion counter were convinced she had received a reward for the sharpness of her eyes when she returned with \$50 in gold from the Post-Dispatch office.

They shook hands with her and advised her to go to the luncheon room and rest awhile. To the customers they told the story while they sold goods. Emma Lang's place at the notion counter was pointed out and some customers delayed their shopping in order that they might see Miss Lang come back to her work.

To each newcomer she explained just how she knew Ivan Whin's representative. For days the young women near the door of the store have declared that Ivan Whin's representative could never pass them. Miss Lang's counter is at the far end of the store.

Miss Lang gave her money to the cashier of the store for safekeeping and went back to her work after her lunch time was over.

\$1 off on Manhattan Special \$3.50 tan Oxford for men at Boehmer's, 410-12 Broadway.

**MARRY UNDER DEATH PALL**

Baker-Hoffman Wedding Ceremony Hurried for His Grandfather's Funeral.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 18.—Wendell Baker of Dayton, O., and Miss Josephine Hoffman were married two days ahead of time at the home of the bride's parents, later tonight to be the bridegroom and his mother, Mrs. Baker, to go at once to Dayton in response to a telegram notifying them that Mrs. Baker's parents, N. Wendell and wife, had been buried in an accident and that the former had died from his injuries.

In view of the sad news it was decided that the marriage ceremony be hurried. Invitations sent out for the ceremony Tuesday night were postponed until Wednesday.

Baker, together with the bride and her mother from Chicago and Dayton, went to the latter place on a night train.

The celebrity barefoot sandals cost no more than ordinary sandals. Boehmer Shoe Co.

**SHOWER OF STEEL IS FATAL**

Boiler Explodes and Falling Debris Kills Fireman and Man in River Nearby.

NEW YORK, June 18.—Two deaths have resulted from a shower of shattered steel and the clouds of steam which followed a boiler explosion on the Hudson River bank on the upper west side yesterday. The victims are Joseph Morgan, fireman, and a man who was in the water.

Four other persons are in a hospital in a serious condition, and twenty who were treated by physicians are at their homes.

Burnett's Extract of Vanilla. In purity and strength pre-eminently superior.

**AMERICANS FIGHT BULLS.**

EL PASO, Tex., June 18.—For the first time in history an American troupe of bull fighters landed this morning against the totos Sunday night in Ciudad, Mex.

The fighters were all baseball players from El Paso and "Brownie" Chamberlain, well known in diamond circles, was one of the matadors. In the glare of the electric light and before a tremendous crowd of young Americans handled the banderillas, the capes and the spears with dexterity and the audience cheered wildly.

A bull fight by electric light is a novelty, but Americans as toreros, capeadors, banderilleros and picadores, was a sensation even on the border, and many hundreds of dollars were raised for the Benito Juarez monument fund for which the affair was given. The elite of Juarez attended and many Americans filled the tiers of seats and cheered as lustily as their dark-skinned neighbors. Some of the youthful Americans did exceptionally well with the banderillas and the sword, and although there were many close calls, the fight was without accident, precautions having been taken and American physicians were on hand to attend any who might be injured.

Her Majesty's Oxford, \$3. G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., sole agents, 410-12 Bdy.

## KILLED IN ROW OVER BEER FAUCET

Slayer Confesses to Having Beaten Man Who Died From Injuries.

A quarrel over a beer faucet was the cause of the killing of Henry Nieman of 312 Montgomery street, according to the confession of Charles Gleason of 217 St. Louis avenue.

Gleason and Nieman rented rooms from John Blackman, who keeps a saloon and boarding house at Broadway and Montgomery street. Nieman patronized Blackman, but Gleason spent his money at the saloon of Fred Busmeyer, at Ninth and Montgomery streets. Since the saloons have been closed on Sunday, Gleason has had a leg of beer every Sunday, the police say from Busmeyer's saloon. On this account Blackman and Gleason quarreled two weeks ago and Gleason was locked up. Before he got out the faucet had disappeared.

Gleason accused Nieman of stealing the faucet and there was a fight. Nieman was knocked down and kicked in the head. His skull was fractured and he died in an ambulance.

Fred Schuster of 313 Montgomery street, Busmeyer and his wife are locked up at Ninth and Angelica streets and Gleason, George Dolan, Michael Leahy and John Parker at the North Market Street Station.

**Court of Appeals Adjourns.**

At the close of Monday's session, the Court of Appeals adjourned to Sept. 10.

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## FIVE HUNDRED DEAD IN MINE IN RUSSIA

Explosion at Donets Colliery at Kharasik Worse Than First Reported.

EKATERINOLAV, Southern Russia, June 18.—Five hundred persons prove to have perished in Saturday's explosion in the Russian Dnepetz Company's colliery at Kharasik. Instead of 300, as first reported. The accident occurred in a remote district and practically no details are as yet obtainable.

Edwin C. Hart Oxford, \$3.20, \$4, \$5, G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., sole agents, 410 Broadway.

### THE CARPENTERS CUT OUR PRICES

We beg to thank all our friends and the general public whose patronage has helped us to build up the fastest growing and now one of the largest Men's Furnishing Stores in St. Louis from our modest beginning five years ago in an 18x25 room—and to express the hope that they will avail themselves of these money-saving opportunities.

The price of every article in the entire store—bright, fresh, just bought—cut in two. We know it will take a big cut in prices to make a big cut in our stock and we have made the necessary big cuts.

July 1st contractors begin to cut out the wall between our store and Thomas Wright Co. cigar store next door, part of which our rapidly growing business has compelled us to lease. Our extensive enlargements and improvements will cause dirt and dust to fly. The carpenters need the room our goods now occupy—so DOWN go the prices.

## Stahl's ENLARGEMENT SALE

OF CLOTHING, HATS AND MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Opens Tomorrow, Tuesday, June 20

with the price of every article in the entire store—bright, fresh, just bought—cut in two.

Hart, Schaffner & Marx \$15.00 Coat and Trousers Suits for **\$9.95**

Fresh, just bought, 1935 models. Has been sold by us at the one price of \$15.00, though the suits were in every way the equal of any \$20.00 suits in town. They all are now marked at the Enlargement Sale Price.

Hart, Schaffner & Marx \$16.50 Raincoats for **\$11.65**

These gracefully modeled water-proof garments, that look like regular light overcoats, have always been sold by us for \$16.50, and are in every detail the equal of any \$22.50 raincoat to be had in St. Louis. Every one bought for this season's trade and every one now tagged with the Enlargement Sale Price.

**ENTIRE STRAW HAT STOCK DEEPLY CUT IN PRICE**

\$4.00 Straw Hats—Enlargement Sale Price \$2.55	\$2.50 Straw Hats—Enlargement Sale Price \$1.95
\$3.50 Straw Hats—Enlargement Sale Price \$2.35	\$1.90 Straw Hats—Enlargement Sale Price \$1.35
\$3.00 Straw Hats—Enlargement Sale Price \$2.15	\$1.50 Straw Hats—Enlargement Sale Price \$1.15

**SHIRT PRICES SLICED**

All \$1.25 and \$1.00 Negligee Shirts, 75c each, including the famous Monarch, Eclipse and New Columbian makes.

Every \$2.00 Negligee Shirt, at Enlargement Sale Price, \$1.45

Every single \$1.50 Negligee Shirt in stock, at Enlargement Sale Price, \$1.15

**HACKING HOSIERY PRICES**

All 50c Fancy Hose, at Enlargement Sale Price, 35c.

25 dozen 15c Fast Black Hose, at Enlargement Sale Price, 10c.

**UNDERWEAR**

\$1.00 Otis White Lisle Thread Underwear, at Enlargement Sale Price, 69c per garment.

\$ .75 Mercerized Lisle—lace effect—Underwear, at Enlargement Sale Price, 39c per garment.

\$ .50 Elastic Seam Drawers, at Enlargement Sale Price, 33c.

SEE WINDOW DISPLAY FOR OTHER VALUES.

Olive and 8th **Stahl's** Opp. Post Office

The Simmons Company

**We Would Like To Agree With the Weather Man, But We Can't See Anything But Fair Weather in Sight.**

**Rookwood Pottery**

When you want a wedding gift that is out of the ordinary and is certain not to be duplicated, send a piece of Rookwood. Made in unnumerable beautiful designs in vases, urns, lamps, trays, etc.

We believe the weather Tuesday will be Fair and Cooler.

June 20, 1934, it rained; temperature, max. 81, min. 63.

**Rich Cut Glass**

Our assortment is the largest and best in St. Louis—best in quality of crystal, artistic designs and skillful cutting. Prices decidedly low.

**Gorham Silver**

When buying Sterling Silver, if you want the best, see that it bears the above trade mark. Every piece 925-1000 parts fine—the highest standard.

**Landers, Frary & Clark's High-Grade Table Cutlery**

For beauty, quality of material and workmanship these goods cannot be duplicated. Handles of pearl, stag and celluloid. Our stock includes their entire World's Fair Display. Prices most reasonable.

Telephone Exchanges—Main 3300 or B 5300

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Broadway & St. Charles



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THE STORE OF BARGAINS

## A Skirt Bargain

For Tuesday.

Grand purchase of 500 Ladies' Walking Skirts, like cut, in light and dark materials. These are better values than ever before offered at this price. Special for Tuesday only.

98c



## Ladies' Waists

Just think of it, a lady's ready-made waist in white and colors for 19c. Some are slightly soiled and some worth up to \$2.00. From 9 to 11 o'clock Tuesday only.

19c

## Corset Covers—Second Floor.

You can buy an elegant fitting Corset Cover, made of Long cloth, Tuesday for.....

5c

## 15c Printed Lawns, 7 1/2c Yd.

5000 yards fine quality sheer Lawns in newest designs and colors—the yard.....

7 1/2c

## 25c Laces, 10c Yd

2500 yards Oriental Laces—very fine quality; neat patterns. A regular 25c kind; Tuesday special, the yard.....

10c

## Wall Paper

Good White Blanks.....1c  
Fine Gold Parlor Papers.....5c  
Embossed Parlor Papers.....10c  
Varnished Papers for bath and kitchen; worth 35c.....

15c

## 35c Japanese Matting, yd. 10c

Japanese Matting, linen warp, carpet patterns, elegant designs. A chance purchase enables us to offer you this far below the actual cost; worth 35c a yard; special Tuesday, a yard.....

10c

## Basement

### Fine Scott Gingham

Mill ends of extra fine Gingham in all the latest styles and colors, in lengths from 1 to 10 yds. Your choice of 1000 yards, at the low price of (in basement).....

5c

### Lawns

500 pieces of fine Scotch Lawn and Batiste, in all colors and a large assortment of patterns; the regular price is 10c; Tuesday while they last, your choice, per yard.....

5c

### Underwear

Boys' Ribbed Underwear—Shirts and Drawers, all sizes; worth 25c; in basement, while they last, for.....

10c

### Boy's Wash Suits

100 dozen Boys' best quality wash Suits, in different colors and from 3 to 8 years, the regular 45c kind (in basement).....

29c

### 10c Curtain Scrim, 5c

2000 bolts fine Curtain Scrim, unbleached; regular price 10c; Tuesday, a special, per yard.....

5c

## BLAMES TURNKEY FOR BRUTALITY

Judge Tracy Denounces Police—man Bruce and Discharges Man He Arrested.

### BEAT HIM WITH A "BILLY"

Neighbors Tell How Man Was Dragged From His Home to Patrol Box Headfirst.

After denouncing Turnkey John Bruce of the Fourth District Police Station for brutally beating Joseph Meek of 1213 Missouri avenue, according to witnesses at Meek's trial for resisting an officer and disturbing his wife's peace, Judge Tracy dismissed both charges against Meek.

"A little mild treatment in the beginning by the policeman would have avoided all this trouble," said Judge Tracy at the end of the trial, which lasted an hour in City Hall Police Court Monday. "Instead, he brutally beats the prisoner, drags him to the patrol box still beating him and to such a degree did he beat him that the prisoner spent almost a week in the City Hospital. He is discharged."

Turnkey Bruce owns the house where Meek and his wife live on the upper floor. Bruce said he heard Mrs. Meek calling for help at 12:30 a. m. June 11, and he went upstairs to assist her. He found Meek there drunk and making a disturbance and tried to arrest him. Meek resisted, and Bruce said, he had to beat Meek with a rubber billy. Meek's testimony was that Bruce dragged him head first down the stairs and all the way to the patrol box, a block distant, beating him over the head with the billy.

John Fitzgibbon and Adam B. Roth, who said they were standing at the corner, corroborated Meek's statement, as did Reuben S. Weaver, who lives across the street from Bruce and Meek. He testified that Bruce was beating Meek so strenuously that he feared the man would be killed, and he yelled across the street to tell Bruce to stop. "Bruce told me to mind my own business," said Weaver, "and then he deliberately hit Meek another lick with the billy. I told him he was a coward and that he was going down, for he was dragging Meek head first along the pavement, and gave him no chance to get on his feet and walk."

Sergeant Kline, who reached the box shortly after Bruce came up with his prisoner, stated that there were no wounds on Meek's head, that he could see Mrs. Meek denied that she had asked to have her husband arrested for beating her.

The Celebrity barefoot sandals are better, G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., exclusive agents.

### Miss Obrock's China Shower.

One of the pleasant events of last week was a china shower given by Miss Amelia Obrock of North St. Louis in honor of Miss Nina Garrett who will be one of the June brides. Those present were:

Misses Frieda Thiele, Kate Huebner, Stella Smeeth, Stella Schmidt, Paula Hencke, Lillie Eckerle, Quinta Meyer, Katherine McNally, Amelia Obrock.

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### Engine and Truck Collide.

John Clark, driver of engine No. 41, and Joseph Lynch, driver of hook and ladder truck No. 15, were severely bruised when, in turning the corner of Ninth and St. Charles streets, the rear end of the truck struck the engine and overturned it. Clark was thrown on his head and received a skull fracture. He was taken to the City Dispensary and later to his home, at 906 Park avenue. Lynch's injuries were not so serious.

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### STABBED BY PICKPOCKET.

At City Dispensary Man Tells of Experience on Car.

When Frederick Meek of 1501 Market street, employed by a liquor company at 1501 Market street, applied at the City Dispensary at 1:30 o'clock Monday morning with a knife wound of the right hand, he told a story of experience on a Broadway car and at Potomac street a man on the platform picked him from his pocket. He seized the man and tried to hold him, but he drew a knife and stabbed Meek in the hand. Special Officer Potomac of the Second District went to the Dispensary and took his statement.

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### WEEKLY BARGAIN No. 11

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY.

Our store is open Saturday until 9 p. m. This sale closes Saturday, June 24, 9 p. m.

### A SNAP FOR

### MAQUINISTS and CARPENTERS

Starrett's Combination Squares—Warranted.

All with 12-inch graduated blades.

List Price, \$1.50—Bargain Price.....

69c

List Price, \$2.00—Bargain Price.....

94c

List Price, \$4.00—Bargain Price.....

\$1.95

For other WEEKLY BARGAINS see our show windows.

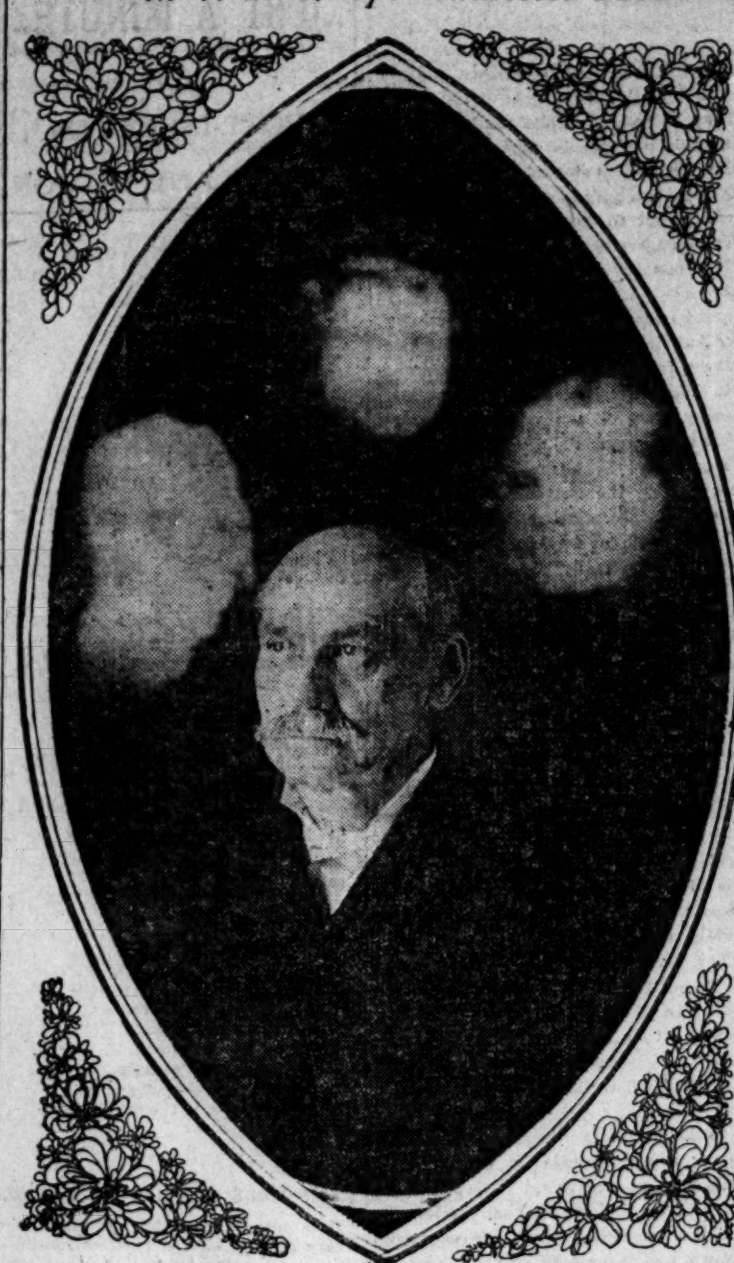
### SCHROETER BROS.

HARDWARE CO., 809 and 811 N. Fourth St., Near Morgan.

### NEURV BEANS

NEURV BEANS quickly cure Nervousness, all results of abuse, falling manhood, drains, losses, Marasmus and men's time wasted. To marry should take a box; astonishing results; small weak men and best restored. \$1.00 at Wolf-Wind Drug Co., 315th and Washington st.

## President and Treasurer Expelled in War of Spiritualistic Mediums



"Spirit" surprise party organized by dead wife of President Stewart.

## WOMEN MEDIUMS CLASH; "SPIRITS" ARE DISTURBED

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE.

Miss Preston was a "fake," and she was not afraid to say so. She declared that the whole trouble was the result of personal and professional jealousy, and that there was only one way in which to account for the officer's sudden change from accuser to defendant in the case of Miss Preston. And she demanded that the door be unlocked. After a few more observations, the door was unlocked.

Later there was a meeting at these rooms. Mrs. Folsom was a startling friend; it was urged that they be excluded. Mrs. Folsom offered to close the folding doors between the meeting room and the guest room. This was not satisfactory, and a motion was made to put the "strangers" out of the house.

I, as presiding officer, refused to adjourn such a motion, and they voted to adjourn.

Mrs. Folsom confirmed all the statements made by Mr. Stewart. She said she had said she had been employed by Mrs. Folsom to write on cards which Mrs. Folsom, at special exhibitions of spirit writing, had exhibited as blank and from his pocket. It was explained that the "spirit" referred to is one of Mrs. Folsom's specialties, and that she had many "fake" imitations. Mrs. Folsom said by her power as a medium she could take blank cards, hold them above her head in the hold glare of electric light, and cause and a motion was made to put the "strangers" out of the house.

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## Clearing the Summer Garments

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Biggest West of the  
Mississippi

Avoidance of the gambling law would be a horse  
on the Governor.

Eighteen Missouri railway lines will try to min-  
imum the maximum.

Why complain of high prices? Are not "genuine  
Panama hats" \$15 lower than formerly?

MR. ROOSEVELT ON RED TAPE.

The President's letter to the committee of five ap-  
pointed to report to him on improved methods of  
doing public business is a model of sound sense.  
"There is a type of bureaucrat who believes that  
his entire work and that the entire work of the  
Government should be the collecting of papers in  
reference to a case," says the President, "com-  
menting with eager minuteness on each and cor-  
responding with other officials in reference thereto.  
These people care nothing for the case, but only  
for the documents in the case."

The documentary excellence spoken of by the  
President is illustrated by the Beef Trust inquiry  
in which was gathered a great bundle of documents  
and a thousand yards of red tape. The papers in  
this case are supposed to be luminous and volumi-  
nous and the officials who composed them are  
justly proud of them. And they enrich some of the  
coolest pigeonholes in the department files. The  
Santa Fe inquiry is another example. It is ad-  
mitted that Messrs. Harmon and Judson did the  
work conscientiously and well. The pieces they  
wrote are said to register choice and interesting  
facts of great path and moment, and these also are  
filed away where students of documentary efficiency  
can study them to learn how to prepare a paper  
worthy to be tied up in red tape. Still another ex-  
ample is the Merchants' Bridge case. Secretary Taft  
had a force of assistants, attorneys and special ex-  
aminers at work for a year on this important mat-  
ter. Every man of them took his time and did his  
best. Mr. Taft, being a profound and learned law-  
yer, might have heard and decided the whole case  
in a week or two, but documentary efficiency would  
have been neglected. So he let the letter writers  
and draftsmen work away. And at the end of their  
labors it was discovered that there was nothing in  
it. But the pigeonholes were filled.

Not only in administration, but in matters of  
policy, is the same case for state papers manifest.  
There was the published announcement in a most  
statesmanlike document that the Government would  
buy ships and supplies needed in Panama Canal  
work in foreign markets whenever better terms  
could be obtained than at home. Then came an able  
document, explaining this announcement. Then  
another explaining the explanation. Finally, it was  
given out that the first announcement meant that  
the question was "up to" Congress, and that the  
Panama supplies would be bought in the United  
States unless Congress directed otherwise. Here was  
a rich collection of official utterance of highest  
academic merit. By turns the trust question, the  
extra session of Congress, the tariff and several  
other such topics have been made subjects of dis-  
cussion in essays worthy of the most distinguished  
commencement day orators.

No wonder the President wants to put a stop to  
useless writing and the wanton waste of red tape.  
He has initiated a reform greatly needed. It is  
hoped, however, that he will begin at the begin-  
ning and apply his chaste reform in every grade of  
the public service.

American school children should learn something  
of Gomez, who was one of the remarkable men of  
his time. His name and his exploits, and those of  
Bolivar, San Martino and Juarez, the modern lib-  
erators, should be at least as familiar in their own  
hemisphere as those of ancient conquerors like  
Caesar and Alexander.

HOW TO GET MARRIED.

Sixteen young women of Corry, Pa., organized a  
Bachelor Girls' Club in 1900, and each member of  
the club took an oath not to marry as long as the  
organization was in existence. All 16 are now in  
Buffalo, N. Y., with the object of getting married.  
It appears that the same number of young men—  
it may be some were not young—have persuaded  
the 16 young women—ages ranging from 24 to 28—  
that 16 separate homes are better than one club,  
and so the club will go out of existence.

In these swift days the young women of 23 or  
24 too often begin to bewail her fate as a confirmed  
spinster. Doubtless several members of this girls'  
club had believed, when they joined it, that they  
were taking refuge from the boredom of old-maid-  
hood. But in assuming an attitude of indifference  
or pretended hostility towards marriage, they  
really put themselves in a more favorable condition  
for getting married than by continuing in a state of  
consuming anxiety over the prospect of being old  
maids.

There is an intention of advising young women  
to form anti-marrying clubs. But the girl who

hopes to get married will be more sure of gaining  
her wish if she will do what she can to forget it.  
Let her throw herself with energy and enthusiasm  
into life's interests that are open to both sexes. Let  
her remember that she is, first of all, a human be-  
ing, with countless opportunities for enjoyment  
and usefulness that do not depend on the marriage  
relation. Above all things, let her eschew the very  
appearance of man hunting, so cleverly exposed in  
Bernard Shaw's female characters.

If she will take this attitude, she will become  
so attractive that her fate will be sealed. The ranks  
of old maidhood will be sooner or later closed to  
her.

Notwithstanding this is the dull midsummer peri-  
od, and notwithstanding the intense heat, which  
would naturally tend to stagnate and paralyze all  
commercial energies, the Sunday Post-Dispatch to-  
tally eclipsed the record of not only all other Junes,  
but the record of all other St. Louis papers, in its  
presentation of business men's announcements. Of  
advertising this one issue contained 237 columns,  
the Globe-Democrat contained 224 columns and the  
Republic 154.6 columns. Advertising is a frigid  
proposition and goes by merit, not by favor.

A WORD OF CAUTION.

Several bills are pending in the Municipal Assem-  
bly granting valuable franchises to the Wabash Rail-  
road Co. and the Terminal Railroad Association.  
These may be required by the exigencies of in-  
creasing business. But there is good reason to ex-  
ercise caution.

When Secretary Taft's decision in the Merchants'  
Bridge case was announced it was given out by the  
representatives of the Terminal interests that the  
bridge arbitrary would soon be abolished. Just what  
does this promise amount to? That they were made  
in perfect good faith is not denied. But after the  
bitter experiences of the past the business com-  
munity of St. Louis cannot be blamed for inquiring  
about the security.

It is agreed that the commerce of the city is suf-  
fering from the exactions of the Terminal monopoly.  
Without a dissenting voice the abolition of the  
bridge arbitrary is demanded. There is no contro-  
versy on this question. There is unanimity.

Now, why vote public values to monopoly which is  
unanimously condemned? Why strengthen the very  
interests which are sapping the vitality of St. Louis  
trade? If the arbitrary is to be abolished, why grant  
privileges which will enable the monopoly interests  
to tie a few more knots in the monopoly bond should  
they ever feel obliged by change of circumstances or  
change of mind to postpone the fulfillment of prom-  
ises?

It is best to go slow. The city has granted enough  
substantial favors in return for promises which have  
so often been forgotten. The game of getting some-  
thing for nothing has gone too far already.

The Democratic Governor and the Republican At-  
torney-General appear to work together in perfect  
harmony.

SPECIAL JURY LAW REPEALED

Special satisfaction is felt in Missouri over the  
repeal of the special jury law, which was effected by  
the Legislature last winter and is now in force.

The special jury law was a curious attempt to  
introduce prejudice into the administration of jus-  
tice for the benefit of anybody who could pay the  
expense. The law was passed, not in response to a  
general demand, but was a weak compliance with the  
solicitations of "interests." It never had a respecta-  
ble standing among lawyers and was the object of  
censure among all citizens who desired justice as  
well as a verdict.

If the jury system in Missouri is faulty, and it is  
admitted that egregious abuses have been practiced  
and tolerated, it should be reformed, not by adding  
another fault to correct those already acknowledged,  
but by stringent regulations to secure in every pet-  
tury the best obtainable mind and character in the  
community. To permit a litigant to exercise any  
control of the jury list which his opponent cannot ex-  
ercise is to make justice blind in one eye only. The  
repeal of the law makes for fair and impartial treat-  
ment of all litigants.

There is more wisdom in Manchuria than there  
has been in St. Petersburg. The Russian army is  
for peace.

OH, FOR A MEDIATOR!

Where is Dr. Bartholdt, President of the Inter-  
national Peace Congress? Where is The Hague Tri-  
bunal? Where is Theodore Roosevelt?

How can they remain so absorbed in the matter  
of settling the war between Japan and Russia, when  
the strife between Mayor Wells of St. Louis and  
Health Commissioner Dr. Simon goes on unabated  
and seemingly without prospect of cessation?

Where is Gov. Folk of Missouri all this time,  
while the hosts of Wells and Simon are surging  
back and forth in ceaseless battle?

The Governor talks of calling out Battery A to  
force the saloon keepers of St. Louis County to  
obey the Sunday closing law. Can it be possible  
that in his anxiety to keep down "the lid" he has  
overlooked the great internecine strife which is  
now devastating the City Hall?

Can we not induce the great pacificators of the  
world to turn their attention to St. Louis, to the  
end that peace may be brought about between the  
Mayor and his chief appointee?

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his own beer garden was a damper on the enterprise.  
However, alle anfang sing schwer—all beginnings are  
difficult.

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mouths of those who would place deadly weapons in  
the hands of children and permit them to use them  
under the guise of Fourth of July patriotism. This  
sad accident was the direct result of such a policy.

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cidentally shot Roy Beck, in giving his version of the  
tragedy, said: "I got the revolver after last Fourth  
of July, intending to use it this Fourth." The boy  
had doubtless seen other boys and young men dis-  
obeying the law by firing revolvers on the Fourth  
and his natural ambition to be like the rest caused  
him to buy this weapon.

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hands of children is not necessarily prompted by  
timidity or the fear of firearms. It is the man who  
is fond of firearms and knows their perils who  
is most likely to urge caution—not the man who  
never handles them and cares nothing about them.

Before more lives are lost, the police should do all  
in their power to enforce the law against the dis-  
charge of firearms within the city limits. And  
parents and guardians should co-operate by insist-  
ing that their sons shall not be law breakers.

POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS

RULES—One question; one initial. No business address  
given. No hints. Only simple legal questions. Address  
"Answers," Post-Dispatch, postal cards all convenient.

P. P.—Silver and pale blue.  
H.—Write War Department.

W. X.—Ask in railroad offices.  
A.—Diets divorce granted June 13.

C. J.—Call up street railway managers.  
A. B.—Geo. Parker's address unknown.

E. M.—M. A. C. Manthorn race, May 8.  
Q.—Secretary Portland Fair, H. E. Reed.

C.—Carnegie is at Skibo Castle, Scotland.  
CONSTANT—Don't know Boulder altitude.

LAFAYETTE—Call up Park Commissioner.  
N. U.—High class medical tuition, \$100 a year.

DUNCE—Any music dealer would advise you.  
S. T.—Century Theater opened Sept. 18, 1890.

BOY—"Dear Madam" for business letter to woman.  
J.—Write Commander W. F. Roberts, 201 Locust.

G. M. C.—Try writing N. O. Nelson, Edwardsville, Ill.  
SOOY—Wellington is recorded as victor at Waterloo.

T. A.—30 Ranch is near Bliss, O. T.; 50,000 acres;  
owned by Miller Bros.

S. C.—Have sent your request to the Rex Mfg. Co.,  
Dept. 16, Freeport, Ill.

CROXSON—No time is allowed merchants after  
July 1 to renew licenses.

TELEPHONE INQUIRY—2000 Laclade avenue is in  
the Twelfth Congressional District.

EDUCATION—Co-education is the education of pupils  
of both sexes in the same school.

C. J. K.—St. Louisans drink two-thirds Missouri  
River water and one-third Mississippi.

WEISBERG—Neither the Government nor the  
Mayor pays to get a poor man a patent.

C. W. E.—When there is a two-ring ceremony, both  
bride and bridegroom wear wedding rings.

W. B.—Dictionaries in Public Library. The dictionary  
is not "taken up as a study" in schools.

W. A. C.—Secretary Leather Workers' Union  
(horse goods).

M. U.—We know of no special locality of the Hun-  
garians. They are in various parts of the city.

E. B. T.—Vermiform appendix, left side, at end of  
blind pouch between large and small intestines.

Q.—Man follows theater usher; reaching seat, usher  
hands checks to man; both step aside to let woman enter.

COIN PREMIUMS.—Published weekly.  
PREMIUM—L. S., if head to left, 6 cents.

NO PREMIUM.—W. J.; Jane Harvell; F. L. T.;  
Lenny; K. O.; Ambition; N. O.; Reader; R. L. Main.

ST. LOUIS AFTER THE FAIR.  
From the Kansas City Journal.

After casting up the final accounts St. Louis has  
found that its great Exposition was a profitable invest-  
ment. Not the least gratifying feature of the enter-  
prise was the successful evasion of an unpleasant  
aftermath in the form of a period of financial de-  
pression, apathy and confusion. According to the  
officials of the Exposition, St. Louis has benefited in  
every way, and they say this benefit will be of a  
permanent character.

It is traditional that world's fairs, or even any ex-  
positions conducted upon a large scale, are not finan-  
cially successful or productive of lasting good to the  
cities that promote them. Within 15 years there have  
been three great fairs of international consequence.  
Paris in 1889 exacted heavy tribute upon all of France  
to defray the expenses of its Exposition, and for sev-  
eral years afterward special taxes continued to be  
levied in liquidation of accrued obligations, notwith-  
standing an attendance of 80,000,000 and generous con-  
tributions from other Governments, including \$1,722,500  
from the United States. Yet even Paris, that had  
gained experience from holding four great previous  
expositions, was unable successfully to finance its  
fair. The St. Louis Exposition cost nearly twice as  
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..JUST A MINUTE..

For  
POST-DISPATCH  
VERSE AND HUMOR

Hot Weather Verse.

Ah, it's an elegant thing  
To be able to write terse  
Verse  
In a string  
Like this:  
If you miss  
A foot or so, or scatter  
Your rhymes  
At times,  
It doesn't matter,  
Because the public is too busy,  
And too dizzy  
With the heat,  
To notice it  
If your feet  
Don't meet  
Or fit  
Exactly.  
Or if your poem isn't built  
Compactly,  
Or the measure doesn't hit  
As trippingly  
And skipkippingly  
As it does at times.  
Oh, all ye writers  
Of rhymes,  
Ye inditers  
Of this and that,  
It is a bully  
Thing, indeed,  
To be able thus  
To write less fully,  
And to shoot each trifle  
Wunderbuss  
Instead of a rifle!  
Besides—O my poetic sires—  
William Vincent Byars,  
Whose praise is enough  
To make any bard puff,  
Assures me this measure  
Affords him great pleasure.  
For it, he says, is the real generic  
Humor.

Reflections of Alas P. Yorick.

It is just as hard for a man who  
wears his hat on the back of his head  
to look dignified as it is for one who  
wears a cap or a sweater.  
I have never yet seen a girl who took  
the trouble to wear red stockings with  
high shoes.  
Call a woman's dishwasher her  
"maid" if you would have her love you.  
There is one great trouble about being  
a policeman or having a lady sue you  
for alimony—everybody else out how  
much money you make.  
Many a man who was a lady-killer  
with a guitar failed later on to make  
good with the groove.  
There may be no difference between  
"salary" and "wages," but I have never  
heard anybody say "The salary of sin  
is death."

Proof Positive.

Sammy the Office Boy: Mr. McCar-  
thy, do you believe there is any such  
man as Ivan Whit? I  
McCarthy (at the copy desk): Believe  
it, Boy. I know it. I haven't been read-  
ing his novels for 30 weeks for nothing.  
Sammy: Then you recognize—  
(Funeral notice later.)

July 4.

Only fifteen days till Benjie  
Blows up little Sister Jennie

A boy was sent to the House of Re-  
fuge for six months for stealing a Sun-  
day newspaper. You bet our judges  
know what a good thing it is worth.

Heat prostration brings on paralysis,  
and getting "paralyzed" brings on heat  
prostration. So there you are.

There is something strangely familiar  
about the name of M. Nieldoff, the  
Czar's Ambassador at Paris.

A load of coal fell on a man's head on  
the hottest day of June. Of course, no  
such luck in winter.

Two Bright St. Louis Boys.

Jamie Montgomery may be 6 years  
old. He is an earnest little fellow and  
likes to be doing things. Near his home  
is a hardware store, where, during the  
past week, a teacher of cooking has  
been demonstrating the advantages of  
a gas stove.

All the ladies of the neighborhood  
gathered there the other day and one  
of them discovered Jamie industriously  
taking notes.

"Why, Jamie," she said, "what are  
you doing here?"  
"Learning to cook," he said, barely  
glancing up from his book.

"What for, Jamie?"  
He fixed her with his big, solemn  
eyes and said confidentially:  
"My wife might die."

Jack Rae was in his bath. At the age  
of 4 months he usually supervises the use  
of soap on such occasions. Jack's  
mother was industriously applying the  
lather and a speck got in the little fel-  
low's eye. He beat away her hands  
and, sobbing, grasped a towel to get the  
soap out. When the pain subsided he  
"went for" the penitent mother.

"You're discharged," he cried. "Pack  
up your clothes and get right out of  
here. I won't have a mother that puts  
soap in my eyes."

"Why, Jack, what would you do with-  
out mother?"

"I'll give a better one from Heaven.  
I asked them to have one ready the last  
time you did that."

Safety Razors.

Sam: Why did they call them safety  
razors, dear?  
Ma: Simply because a man's wife  
can't use them to cut her curls with  
any pet.—Yonkers Statesman.

A Moment's Merriment

The Precious Little Things.



Said a spinster in far Mississippi  
In a manner decidedly snippy:  
"Take your children away  
And choke them, I pray,  
For they really are driving me dippy!"

The Foolish and the Lazy.

The fool doesn't know a good thing  
when he sees it; the lazy man doesn't  
seize a good thing he knows it.—Phila-  
delphia Record.

In Maine.



A schoolboy from Kennebunk, Me.,  
Tried to master addition in va:  
Till he learned with a start  
That a dunce may grow smart  
When the smart is applied with a st.

What His "Pull" Won for Him.



"Dis is one of de kind a bull-yeer have  
got to pull, but I'm dere wid"

Evolution.



NOW ONE  
OF MY  
PARENTS,  
ONCE  
WAS BLUE AS HE COULD  
BE.  
HIS FATHER SAID, "BRACE  
UP MY BOY,  
AND BE A MAN," SAID HE

A Remembrance.

He: I was an intimate friend of your  
late husband. Can't you give me some-  
thing to remember him by?  
She (shyly): How would I do—  
Punch.

NEW YORK NEWSPAPER VIEWS.

This Morning's Comments on Today's News by the Leading  
Metropolitan Journals.

By Leased Wire From The New York  
Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 19.—The World  
says: "Judge Seaman, in his ruling  
against the General Paper Co., draws  
a sharp line between the right of an  
individual not to be compelled to give  
testimony that might incriminate him  
and the right of a corporation to pre-  
vent an examination of its books, which  
might disclose a violation of Federal  
statutes. Says he:

"I am of the opinion that the constitu-  
tional privilege which can be invoked  
is personal, and cannot extend to the  
corporation or be invoked in its behalf."  
"This is a decision of obvious im-  
portance which affects the whole ques-  
tion of government regulation of cor-  
porations. If the corporation itself could  
plead constitutional privileges in a suit  
in which it was a party the Government  
would be practically helpless."

"Germany has suffered nothing but a  
shock to the vanity of a blustering  
Kaiser who seeks to make good his  
foolish boast that 'Nothing can happen  
in the world without the consent of the  
German Emperor,' and he did not un-  
dertake to make that boast good until  
he found France's ally prostrate before  
his Asiatic conqueror," says the Press.

"Emperor William has staked his diplo-  
matic reputation on a bluff. If M. Rou-  
vier should call him, the Kaiser will be  
found holding a 'bolts' dust against a  
full hand, consisting of three kings  
and two pairs."

"The 'war lord' who has never gone  
to war will hardly do so in the face of  
a universal public opinion which would  
condemn his act as wanton. And mod-  
ern wars, to be successful, cannot ig-  
nore the telephone."

over the telephone as in personal con-  
versation.

The remedy is that the man who has  
no desk telephone, so that he is unable  
to connect immediately, should himself  
go to the phone and ask for the per-  
son he wants and wait until he comes.  
This is not only proper courtesy, but it  
is good business.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

Marry for money; repent in penury.  
Kittens get their eyes opened a few  
days after they are born; people when  
they are married.

The only quiver thing than the way  
women are dressed is the way they  
sometimes aren't.

A man's idea of getting rested from  
the strain of business is to sit up all  
night playing cards, smoking and  
drinking.

Riding in an automobile makes a wo-  
man think of the way she would look  
if her husband was President of the  
United States.—New York Press.

Our Wonderful Language.

A student in Berkeley contributes the  
following: Many ludicrous mistakes  
are made by foreigners in grasping the  
meaning of some of our common Eng-  
lish expressions. A young German at-  
tending the State University translated  
"The spirit is willing, but the flesh  
is weak" into "The ghost is willing,  
but the meat is not able." And a Fin-  
nish youth fairly set the class in a  
quiver by the statement that "God is  
out of of mind" meant "The In-  
visible is mean."—Western School  
Journal.

ILLUSTRATED  
LANGUAGE LESSONS.

No. 23.  
Who or Whom?

THE pretty typewriter she shall use  
in doubt whether she shall use  
who or whom in the letter she is  
writing to a traveling man in another  
city. Her employer has dictated in  
this letter the following sentence:  
"We shall expect you to keep in  
touch with Smith  
whom we are in-  
formed is working  
on the same lines  
with you."

Her employer is  
a first-class busi-  
ness man, but she  
has a reason to  
know that his  
grammar is not  
his strong point.  
She shall use who  
instead of whom

In this sentence, and why?  
She finally concludes that she should  
use who, rather than whom, because  
the words "we are informed" is what  
is called a parenthetical or qualifying  
phrase. Without this parenthesis,  
the sentence would have read: "We shall  
expect you to keep in touch with Smith  
whom is working on the same lines  
with you," which everybody would at  
once see was correct. Our pretty at-  
torney would have no trouble in pro-  
nouncing the correct form to be: "We  
shall expect you to keep in touch with  
Smith, who is working," etc.

But suppose the business man had  
dictated the sentence: "We shall ex-  
pect you to keep in touch with Smith,  
whom we are going to send to work on  
the same lines with you." Is whom  
correct? It is. Why?

Because, in this case the pronoun  
whom is in the objective case, whereas,  
in the first sentence,







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Biggest West of the Mississippi

Avoidance of the gambling law would be a horse on the Governor.

Eighteen Missouri railway lines will try to minimize the maximum.

Why complain of high prices? Are not "genuine Panama hats" \$15 lower than formerly?

MR. ROOSEVELT ON RED TAPE.

The President's letter to the committee of five appointed to report to him on improved methods of doing public business is a model of sound sense. "There is a type of bureaucrat who believes that his entire work and that the entire work of the Government should be the collecting of papers in reference to a case," says the President, "commenting with eager minuteness on each and corresponding with other officials in reference thereto. These people care nothing for the case, but only for the documents in the case."

The documentary excellence spoken of by the President is illustrated by the Beef Trust inquiry in which was gathered a great bundle of documents and a thousand yards of red tape. The papers in this case are supposed to be luminous and voluminous and the officials who composed them are justly proud of them. And they enrich some of the coziest pigeonholes in the department files. The Santa Fe inquiry is another example. It is admitted that Messrs. Harmon and Judson did the work conscientiously and well. The pieces they wrote are said to register choice and interesting facts of great pith and moment, and these also are filed away where students of documentary efficiency can study them to learn how to prepare a paper worthy to be tied up in red tape. Still another example is the Merchants' Bridge case. Secretary Taft had a force of assistants, attorneys and special examiners at work for a year on this important matter. Every man of them took his time and did his best. Mr. Taft, being a profound and learned lawyer, might have heard and decided the whole case in a week or two, but documentary efficiency would have been neglected. So he let the letter writers and draftsmen work away. And at the end of their labors it was discovered that there was nothing in it. But the pigeonholes were filled.

Not only in administration, but in matters of policy, is the same case for state papers manifest. There was the published announcement in a most statesmanlike document that the Government would buy ships and supplies needed in Panama Canal work in foreign markets whenever better terms could be obtained than at home. Then came an able document, explaining this announcement. Then another explaining the explanation. Finally, it was given out that the first announcement meant that the question was "up to" Congress, and that the Panama supplies would be bought in the United States unless Congress directed otherwise. Here was a rich collection of official utterance of highest academic merit. By turns the trust question, the extra session of Congress, the tariff and several other such topics have been made subjects of discussion in essays worthy of the most distinguished commencement day orators.

Not wonder the President wants to put a stop to needless writing and the wanton waste of red tape. He has initiated a reform greatly needed. It is hoped, however, that he will begin at the beginning and apply his chaste reform in every grade of the public service.

American school children should learn something of Gomez, who was one of the remarkable men of his time. His name and his exploits, and those of Bolivar, San Martino and Juarez, the modern liberators, should be at least as familiar in their own hemisphere as those of ancient conquerors like Caesar and Alexander.

HOW TO GET MARRIED.

Sixteen young women of Corry, Pa., organized a Bachelor Girls' Club in 1900, and each member of the club took an oath not to marry as long as the organization was in existence. All 16 are now in Buffalo, N. Y., with the object of getting married. It appears that the same number of young men—it may be some were not young—have persuaded the 16 young women—ages ranging from 24 to 28—that 16 separate homes are better than one club, and so the club will go out of existence.

In these swift days the young women of 23 or 24 too often begin to bewail her fate as a confirmed spinster. Doubtless members of this girls' club had believed, when they joined it, that they were taking refuge from the boredom of old-maidhood. But in assuming an attitude of indifference or pretended hostility towards marriage, they really put themselves in a more favorable condition for getting married than by continuing in a state of consuming anxiety over the prospect of being old maids.

There is no intention of advising young women to form anti-marrying clubs. But the girl who

hopes to get married will be more sure of gaining her wish if she will do what she can to forget it. Let her throw herself with energy and enthusiasm into life's interests that are open to both sexes. Let her remember that she is, first of all, a human being, with countless opportunities for enjoyment and usefulness that do not depend on the marriage relation. Above all things, let her eschew the very appearance of man hunting, so cleverly exposed in Bernard Shaw's female characters.

If she will take this attitude, she will become so attractive that her fate will be sealed. The ranks of old maidhood will be sooner or later closed to her.

Notwithstanding this is the dull midsummer period, and notwithstanding the intense heat, which would naturally tend to stagnate and paralyze all commercial energies, the Sunday Post-Dispatch totally eclipsed the record of not only all other Junes, but the record of all other St. Louis papers, in its presentation of business men's announcements. Of advertising this one issue contained 237 columns, the Globe-Democrat contained 224 columns and the Republic 154.6 columns. Advertising is a frigid proposition and goes by merit, not by favor.

A WORD OF CAUTION.

Several bills are pending in the Municipal Assembly granting valuable franchises to the Wabash Railroad Co. and the Terminal Railroad Association. These may be required by the exigencies of increasing business. But there is good reason to exercise caution.

When Secretary Taft's decision in the Merchants' Bridge case was announced it was given out by the representatives of the Terminal interests that the bridge arbitrary would soon be abolished. Just what do these promises amount to? That they were made in perfect good faith is not denied. But after the bitter experiences of the past the business community of St. Louis cannot be blamed for inquiring about the security.

It is agreed that the commerce of the city is suffering from the exactions of the Terminal monopoly. Without a dissenting voice the abolition of the bridge arbitrary is demanded. There is no controversy on this question. There is unanimity.

Now, why vote public values to monopoly which is unanimously condemned? Why strengthen the very interests which are sapping the vitality of St. Louis trade? If the arbitrary is to be abolished, why grant privileges which will enable the monopoly interests to tie a few more knots in the monopoly bond should they ever feel obliged by change of circumstances or change of mind to postpone the fulfillment of promises?

It is best to go slow. The city has granted enough substantial favors in return for promises which have so often been forgotten. The game of getting something for nothing has gone too far already.

The Democratic Governor and the Republican Attorney-General appear to work together in perfect harmony.

SPECIAL JURY LAW REPEALED

Special satisfaction is felt in Missouri over the repeal of the special jury law, which was effected by the Legislature last winter and is now in force.

The special jury law was a curious attempt to introduce prejudice into the administration of justice for the benefit of anybody who could pay the expense. The law was passed, not in response to a general demand, but was a weak compliance with the solicitations of "interests." It never had a respectable standing among lawyers and was the object of censure among all citizens who desired justice as well as a verdict.

If the jury system in Missouri is faulty, and it is admitted that egregious abuses have been practiced and tolerated, it should be reformed, not by adding another fault to correct those already acknowledged, but by stringent regulations to secure in every petit jury the best obtainable mind and character in the community. To permit a litigant to exercise any control of the jury list which his opponent cannot exercise is to make justice blind in one eye only. The repeal of the law makes for fair and impartial treatment of all litigants.

There is more wisdom in Manchuria than there has been in St. Petersburg. The Russian army is for peace.

OH, FOR A MEDIATOR!

Where is Dr. Bartholdt, President of the International Peace Congress? Where is The Hague Tribunal? Where is Theodore Roosevelt?

How can they remain so absorbed in the matter of settling the war between Japan and Russia, when the strife between Mayor Wells of St. Louis and Health Commissioner Dr. Simon goes on unabated and seemingly without prospect of cessation? Where is Gov. Folk of Missouri all this time, while the hosts of Wells and Simon are surging back and forth in ceaseless battle?

The Governor talks of calling out Battery A to force the saloon keepers of St. Louis County to obey the Sunday closing law. Can it be possible that in his anxiety to keep down "the lid" he has overlooked the great internecine strife which is now devastating the City Hall?

Can we not induce the great pacificators of the world to turn their attention to St. Louis, to the end that peace may be brought about between the Mayor and his chief appointee?

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The accident which caused the death of little Roy Beck is an object lesson which should stop the mouths of those who would place deadly weapons in the hands of children and permit them to use them under the guise of Fourth of July patriotism. This sad accident was the direct result of such a policy. Edward Barton, the 15-year-old boy who accidentally shot Roy Beck, in giving his version of the tragedy, said: "I got the revolver after last Fourth of July, intending to use it this Fourth." The boy had doubtless seen other boys and young men disobeying the law by firing revolvers on the Fourth and his natural ambition to be like the rest caused him to buy this weapon.

The desire to keep deadly weapons out of the hands of children is not necessarily prompted by timidity or the fear of firearms. It is the man who is fond of firearms and knows their perils who is most likely to urge caution—not the man who never handles them and cares nothing about them. Before more lives are lost, the police should do all in their power to enforce the law against the discharge of firearms within the city limits. And parents and guardians should co-operate by insisting that their sons shall not be law breakers.

POST-DISPATCH ANSWERS

RULES—One question; one initial. No business addresses given. No letters to be published unless accompanied by "Answers," Post-Dispatch; postal cards if convenient.

F. P.—Silver and pale blue.  
H.—Write War Department.  
W. X.—Ask in railroad offices.  
A.—Dietz divorce granted June 13.  
C. J.—Call up street railway managers.  
A. B.—Geo. Parker's address unknown.  
E. M.—M. A. C. Marchen race, May 6.  
S.—Secretary Portland Fair, H. E. Reed.  
Q.—Carnegie is at Skibo Castle, Scotland.  
CONSTANT.—Don't know Boulder altitude.  
LAPAYETTE.—Call up Park Commissioner.  
R. U.—High class medical tuition, \$109 a year.  
DUNN.—Any must be denied would advise you.  
S. T. C.—Century Theatricals opened Sept. 18, 1896.  
BOT.—"Dear Madam" for business letter to woman.  
J.—Write Commander W. F. Roberts, 2017 Locust.  
G. M. C.—Try writing N. O. Nelson, Edwardsville, Ill.  
GOOY.—Wellington is recorded as victor at Waterloo.

T. A.—101 Ranch is near Billis, O. T.; \$5,000 acre; owned by J. Miller.  
S. C.—Have sent your request to the Rex Mfg. Co., Dept. 18, Freeport, Ill.  
CROXSON.—No time is allowed merchants after July 1 to renew license.  
TELEPHONE INQUIRY.—3000 Laclede avenue is in the Twelfth Congressional District.  
IGNORANCE.—Co-education is the education of pupils of both sexes in the same school building.  
C. J. K.—St. Louisans drink two-thirds Missouri River water and one-third Mississippi.  
WEISBERG.—Neither the Government nor the Mayor pays to get a poor man a patent.  
C. W. B.—When there is a two-ring ceremony, both bride and bridegroom wear wedding ring.  
W. B.—Dictionaries in Public Library. The dictionary is not "taken up as a study" in schools.

W. A. C.—Secretary Leathers' Workers' Union (horse goods), W. Volmer, 1719 Biddle street.  
M. U.—We know of no special locality of the Hungarians. They are in various parts of the city.  
B. B. T.—Verniform appendix, left side, at end of blind pouch between large and small intestines.  
Q.—Man follows theater usher; reaching seat, usher hands checks to man; both step aside to let woman enter.

COIN PREMIUMS.—Published weekly.  
PREMIUM.—L. S. if head to left, 6 cents.  
NO PREMIUM.—W. J.; Jane Harvell; F. L. T.; Lenny; K. O.; Ambition; N. O.; Reader; R. L. Main.

ST. LOUIS AFTER THE FAIR.

From the Kansas City Journal.  
After casting up the final accounts St. Louis has found that its great Exposition was a profitable investment. Not the least gratifying feature of the enterprise was the successful evasion of an unpleasant aftermath in the form of a period of financial depression, apathy and confusion. According to the officers of the Exposition, St. Louis has benefited in every way, and they say this benefit will be of a permanent character.

It is traditional that world's fairs, or even any exhibitions conducted upon a large scale, are not financially successful or productive of lasting good to the cities that promote them. Within 15 years there have been three great fairs of international consequence. Paris in 1900 exacted heavy tribute upon all of France to defray the expenses of its Exposition, and for several years afterward special taxes continued to be levied in liquidation of accrued obligations, notwithstanding an attendance of 50,000,000 and generous contributions from other governments, including \$1,250,000 from the United States. Yet even Paris, that has gained experience from holding four great previous exhibitions, was unable successfully to finance its fair.

The St. Louis Exposition cost nearly twice as much as the Chicago fair, with about a third less attendance. The Chicago fair was followed by a period of commercial stagnation, and a new world's record in the beauty, scope and elaborateness of its Exposition. To invest nearly \$50,000,000 in a fair was a daring venture. It had never been done before and precedent had stamped fairs and expositions as uniformly losing propositions. But St. Louis carried it through, and now, half a year after the gates closed, it comes up with a story of prosperity, and business activity that is unparalleled in that city's history. It speaks volumes for St. Louis, and the entire West shares in its pride.

..JUST A MINUTE..

For POST-DISPATCH VERSE AND HUMOR

Hot Weather Verse.

Ah, it's an elegant thing  
To be able to write terse  
Verse  
In a string  
Like this:  
If you miss  
A foot or so, or scatter  
Your rhymes  
At times,  
It doesn't matter.  
Because the public is too busy,  
And too dizzy  
With the heat,  
To notice it  
If your feet  
Don't meet  
Or fit  
Exactly.  
Or if your poem isn't built  
Compactly,  
Or the measure doesn't hit  
As trippingly off the tongue,  
And skippingly  
As it does at times  
Oh, all ye writers  
Of rhymes,  
Ye inditers  
Of things to read,  
It is a bulky  
Thing, indeed,  
To be able thus  
To write less fully.  
And to shoot each trifle  
With blunderbus  
Instead of a rifle!  
Besides—O my poetic sires!  
A sharp line between the right of  
There is one great trouble about being  
A policeman or having a lady sue  
You for alimony—everybody finds out how  
much money you make.  
Many a man who was a lady-killer  
with a guttural falsetto later on to make  
good with the grocer.  
There may be no difference between  
"salary" and "wages," but I have never  
heard anybody say "The salary of sin  
is death."  
There was once a man who turned  
away from his battery, but he was deaf.  
It had to be to convince a girl that a  
man is not a great poet if he has ever  
written a line to her.  
I am of the opinion that the constitu-  
tional privilege which can be invoked  
to prevent an examination of its books, which  
might disclose a violation of Federal  
statutes. Says he:  
"I am of the opinion that the constitu-  
tional privilege which can be invoked  
is personal, and cannot extend to the  
corporation or be invoked in its behalf."  
"This is a decision of obvious im-  
portance which affects the whole ques-  
tion of government regulation of cor-  
porations. If the corporation itself could  
plead constitutional privileges in a suit  
in which it was a party the Government  
would be practically helpless."

Reflections of Alas P. Yorick.

It is just as hard for a man who wears his hat on the back of his head to look dignified as it is for one who wears a cap or a sweater.  
I have never yet seen a girl who took the trouble to wear red stockings with high shoes.  
Call a woman's dishwasher her "maid" if you would have her love you.  
There is one great trouble about being a policeman or having a lady sue you for alimony—everybody finds out how much money you make.  
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Proof Positive.

Sammy the Office Boy: "Mr. McCarthy, do you believe there is any such man as Ivan Whitin?"  
McCarthy (at the copy desk): Believe it? Boy, I know it! I haven't been reading copy on his novels for 20 weeks for nothing.  
Sammy: Then you recognize—  
(Funeral notice later.)

July 4.

Only fifteen days till Benjie Blows up little Sister Jennie!

A boy was sent to the House of Refuge for six months for stealing a Sunday newspaper. You bet our judges know what a good thing this was.

Heat prostration brings on paralysis, and getting "paralyzed" brings on heat prostration. So there you are.

There is something strangely familiar about the name of M. Nieldoff, the Czar's Ambassador at Paris.

A load of coal fell on a man's head on the hottest day of June. Of course, he was such luck in winter.

Two Bright St. Louis Boys.

Jamie Montgomery may be 8 years old. He is an earnest little fellow and likes to be doing things. Near his home is a hardware store, where, during the past week, a teacher of cooking has been demonstrating the advantages of a gas stove.

All the ladies of the neighborhood gathered there the other day and one of them discovered Jamie industriously taking notes.

"Why, Jamie," she said, "what are you doing here?"  
"Learning to cook," he said, barely glancing up from his book.

"What for, Jamie?"  
"He fixed her with his big, solemn eyes and said confidentially:  
"My wife might die."

Jack Rae was in his bath. At the age of 4 months usually supervise the use of soap on such occasions. Jack's mother was industriously applying the lather and a speck got in the little fellow's eye. He beat away her hands and, sobbing, grasped a towel to get the soap out. When the pain subsided he "went for" the penitent mother.  
"You're discharged," he cried. "Pack up your clothes and get right out of here. I won't have a mother that puts soap in my eyes."  
"Why, Jack, what would you do without mother?"  
"I'll get a better one from Heaven. I'll ask them to have one ready the last time you did that."

Safety Razors.

She: Why did they call them safety razors, dear?  
He: "Simply because a man's wife can't use them to cut her corns with, my pet.—Yonkers Statesman."

A Moment's Merriment

The Precious Little Things.



Said a spinster in far Mississippi  
In a manner decidedly snip!:  
"Take your children away  
And choke them, I pray,  
For they really are driving me dipp!"



A Remembrance.

He: I was an intimate friend of your late husband. Can't you give me something to remember him by?  
She (shyly): How would I do?—Punch.

In Maine.



A schoolboy from Kennonunk, Me., tried to master addition in va. Till he learned with a start That a dummy may grow smart When the smart is applied with a ca.

The Foolish and the Lazy.

The fool doesn't know a good thing when he sees it. The lazy man doesn't seize a good thing he knows it.—Philadelphia Record.

What His "Pull" Won for Him.



"Dis is one of de kind a belly-ger have got to pull, but I'm dere wid."



"De pull."

NEW YORK NEWSPAPER VIEWS.

This Morning's Comments on Today's News by the Leading Metropolitan Journals.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, June 19.—The World says: "Judge Seaman, in his ruling against the General Paper Co., draws a sharp line between the right of an individual not to be compelled to give testimony that might incriminate him and the right of a corporation to prevent an examination of its books, which might disclose a violation of Federal statutes. Says he:  
"I am of the opinion that the constitutional privilege which can be invoked is personal, and cannot extend to the corporation or be invoked in its behalf."  
"This is a decision of obvious importance which affects the whole question of government regulation of corporations. If the corporation itself could plead constitutional privileges in a suit in which it was a party the Government would be practically helpless."

In New York there are two church corporations which together hold landed property of a value of more than twenty million dollars, says the Sun. They are the Collegiate Dutch Reformed church (\$6,000,000) and the Trinity church corporation (\$15,000,000). "Relatively to the whole amount of property now held in New York by Reformed churches, the value of the Trinity church corporation is small. The aggregate of these exemptions in 1904 is reported by the Federal Bureau of Census to be the enormous amount of \$218,041,185. Of this sum \$114,770,260 is Protestant, \$55,625,000 is Roman Catholic and \$11,000,000 is Jewish. The remainder is divided among outside denominations and various charitable and educational institutions. The Roman Catholic exemption is greater than that of any single Protestant denomination, though that of the Episcopal church is only about \$2,000,000.  
The total amount of the tax exemption is equal to about \$4 per head of the population of the town."

TELEPHONE ETIQUETTE.

From the Philadelphia Inquirer.  
Without going into any personal experience, we ask our readers to consider how many moments they spend waiting at the end of a telephone wire after hearing the request—usually a command—to "wait one moment, please." If A has business with B it is now his custom to ask his stenographer or clerk to call up the latter. When B is found at the phone he is asked to wait, and as A is usually at that time engaged in some work he completes it before he takes the phone to ask B to do him a favor. Notice the last point. If A wants to do something for B he has a right to impinge on his valuable time, but the case is usually the reverse. As a rule B is quite as busy as A, and while the actual time taken from his work may not be important, it is certainly annoying to be compelled to sit with a receiver at the ear for a wait that always seems ten times as long as it actually is, only to hear that B is requested to do something for A.

This is a mild case. It is the cause of constant complaint. The reason seems to lie in a fundamental lack of courtesy. No man should ask anything over the phone which he would not do at speaking range. If A should walk into B's office and interrupt his work, and then ask to be excused while he read a long letter on a subject having to do with the matter in hand, B would be affronted, and very properly so. There is as much courtesy due

Reflections of a Bachelor.

Marry for money; repent in penury. Kittens get their eyes opened a few days after they are born; people when they are married.

The only queerer thing than the way women are dressed is the way they sometimes aren't.  
A man's idea of getting rested from the strain of business is to sit up all night playing cards, smoking and drinking.

Riding in an automobile makes a woman think of the way she would look if her husband was President of the United States.—New York Press.

Our Wonderful Language.

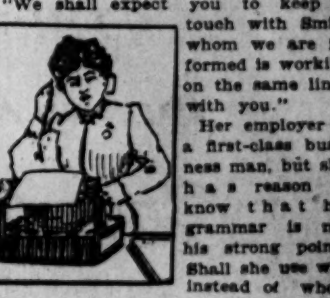
A student in Berkeley contributes the following: Many ludicrous mistakes are made by foreigners in grasping the meaning of some of our common English expressions. A young German attending the State University translated "The spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak" into "The ghost is willing, but the meat is not able." And a Filipino youth fairly set the class in an uproar by the statement that "Out of sight out of mind" meant "The invisible is insane."—Western School Journal.

ILLUSTRATED LANGUAGE LESSONS.

No. 23.

Who or Whom?

THE pretty typewriter in the cut is in doubt whether she shall use who or whom in the letter she is writing to a traveling man in another city. Her employer has dictated in this letter the following sentence:  
"We shall expect you to keep in touch with Smith whom we are informed is working on the same lines with you."



She finally concludes that she should use who, rather than whom, because the words "we are informed" is what is called a parenthetical or qualifying phrase. Without this parenthesis, the sentence would have read: "We shall expect you to keep in touch with Smith whom is working on the same lines with you," which everybody would at once see was incorrect. Our pretty stenographer would have no trouble in pronouncing the correct form to be: "We shall expect you to keep in touch with Smith, who is working," etc.

But suppose the business man had dictated the sentence: "We shall expect you to keep in touch with Smith, whom we are going to send to work on the same lines with you." Is whom correct? It is. Why?

Because, in this case the pronoun whom is in the objective case, whereas, in the first sentence, the pronoun who is in the nominative case. Who, in the first sentence, stands for Smith. Smith is working. Whom, in the second sentence, also stands for Smith. But in this sentence, Smith is going to be sent. We are going to send Smith. Smith, in the second sentence, stands for his name, is in the objective case, though the peculiar idiom of our language places the pronoun whom, in this sentence, before the verb send.

In the sentence from Paul's sermon on Mars Hill (Acts 17:23): "Whom, therefore, ye ignorantly worship, him declare I unto you," the pronoun whom is also in the objective case, and there is the parenthetical word "therefore," "Whom" is the object of "worship," and hence is in the objective case.

In the sentences "Whom do men say that I am?" "Whom say ye that I am?" (Mark 8:27, 29), the pronoun whom is not now accepted as the best English, by all grammarians, because who, in this case, would be more correct, the verb "am" taking the nominative after as well as before it. But in most cases the words who and whom are correctly used in the Bible.

One of the rules to remember is "Look out for the parenthesis. By temporarily excluding it from the sentence, we may set ourselves right as to which word to use."

He Was It.

"I'd like to see something soft in coats," he said in the clothing store.  
"All right," said the clerk, "just get out the looking glass."—Just get out the looking glass!—Yonkers Statesman.







## FEW YOUNGSTERS HAVE MADE GOOD

Out of Many Candidates Tried  
in the American League

**Few Stood the Pace.**  
As far as the American League is concerned, the number of youngsters that were landed last fall who have made good this spring is far from being large. In fact, they can almost be counted upon the digits of one hand. The stars of the lot are Knight of the Athletics, Stone and Koehler of the

Browns, and Chase of New York. Without any doubt Chase is destined to become one of the leading first basemen of the country as far as fielding goes, and he is not slow as a hitter and base runner, either. Stone, whose batting in the American Association last season was a sensation, is, of course, not batting any 400 in the American League.

but just the same he is landing on the ball in a manner that leads one to predict that he will be up among the leaders when the season is ended. Manager McAleer has also picked up a good man in Koehler, who played center field for Atlanta a year ago. Koehler covers a large amount of territory and does it with excellent judgment. He has proved to be a head hitter.

to be a hard hitter, in fact on his feet and looks sure to hold his own in fast company. Frisk, who led the Pacific Coast League in batting, fills out a strong outfield for the Browns. McAleer's other youngsters are Van Zandt, who led the New England League in batting last year, but whose batting has been weak this spring; Rockenfeld, a second baseman from the Pacific Coast

League, and Pitcher Buchanan. The last named has not had much chance to show what he can do, while Rockenfeld has not come up to expectations as a batter.

Detroit's corps of spring beauties was nipped early by the frost. D. Sullivan, the outfielder, was handed over early in the season to Washington, and then, canned by Jake Stahl, Catcher Jack Sul-

livan, supposed to be the best catcher in the American Association, also went back to his old stamping ground in Minnesota, Ford and Thomas, the two twirlers secured from Minnneapolis, were not able to show Manager Armour anything particular, and it is the old pitchers that are doing the work.

to show what they could do. Those two are Vinson and Jackson. Vinson batted strongly last fall, but this spring has had trouble in acquiring a batting average. His fielding, however, has been better than Jackson's, while Jimmy has put it all over the Eastern Leaguer in batting. The sun field, however, has bothered both and they should do better work away from home. Nig Clarke has been used in parts of

Two games only, for Ilenis and Surov have been doing such good work that the youngsters have been assigned to bench duty. Nick Kahl is another who has not been overworked. Nick, however, can point to a batting average of .600 with a good deal of pride.

Chicago had few youngsters. Pitcher Flene was turned over to Toledo without a league trial, but Rheubach, the young collegian, is proving to be a wonder.

Collins took a number of

Jimmy Collins took a number of youngsters South with him, but with the exception of Grimshaw and McGovern, none of them had their names in the American League box scores. First baseman Wheeler was left down South, while all the young pitchers, including Joslyn Olmstead and O'Brien, were turned loose on Collins' arrival North. Although Clarke Griffith had a number of young pitchers with him in the South, two, Clarkson and Putnam, were of last year's crop. Of the others,

Whitely, Starkell and Hogg, the last name was the only one to be retained. He has done good work and is without any doubt a good pitcher. Chas's success has been commented upon. Yeager is a new man, but a veteran in experience, having been with the Detroit team for several years.

Counting Coakley, who was with him part of last season, Connie Mack had a quartet of youngsters with him at the start of the season. Shortstop Knight

ceived his chance to show his value when Monte Cross was injured and he played such a good game that Monte will have to remain upon the bench. Lord, an outfielder, has not had the opportunity to show his worth, while Barton has shown up well in the new games he has played at third, in the outfield, and behind the bat. About half of Washington's new men made good. Jones has shown up well in center field, while Nill did fairly well in left.

second. Knorr started as first and batted strongly, but has since fallen in his stickwork, and Stahl has secured big John Anderson from New York. Catcher Heydon seems to be all right, but Casaday is hardly in the right company. Shaughnessy was released with a brief trial.

And notwithstanding all this the minor leagues want the draft price increased.

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The Hunts were Defeated Sunday by the

members at South End Park by the score of 10 to 0. The Hunts baseball team is one of the most promising teams in the city. Their games with the Hunts address 11. Main, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2144, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 2168, 2169, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2185, 2186, 2187, 2188, 2189, 2190, 2191, 2192, 2193, 2194, 2195, 2196, 2197, 2198, 2199, 2200, 2201, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 2206, 2207, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2211, 2212, 2213, 2214, 2215, 2216, 2217, 2218, 2219, 2220, 2221, 2222, 2223, 2224, 2225, 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2232, 2233, 2234, 2235, 2236, 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2241, 2242, 2243, 2244, 2245, 2246, 2247, 2248, 2249, 2250, 2251, 2252, 2253, 2254, 2255, 2256, 2257, 2258, 2259, 2260, 2261, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2265, 2266, 2267, 2268, 2269, 2270, 2271, 2272, 2273, 2274, 2275, 2276, 2277, 2278, 2279, 2280, 2281, 2282, 2283, 2284, 2285, 2286, 2287, 2288, 2289, 2290, 2291, 2292, 2293, 2294, 2295, 2296, 2297, 2298, 2299, 2300, 2301, 2302, 2303, 2304, 2305, 2306, 2307, 2308, 2309, 2310, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2314, 2315, 2316, 2317, 2318, 2319, 2320, 2321, 2322, 2323, 2324, 2325, 2326, 2327, 2328, 2329, 2330, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2336, 2337, 2338, 2339, 2340, 2341, 2342, 2343, 2344, 2345, 2346, 2347, 2348, 2349, 2350, 2351, 2352, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2356, 2357, 2358, 2359, 2360, 2361, 2362, 2363, 2364, 2365, 2366, 2367, 2368, 2369, 2370, 2371, 2372, 2373, 2374, 2375, 2376, 2377, 2378, 2379, 2380, 2381, 2382, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2386, 2387, 2388, 2389, 2390, 2391, 2392, 2393, 2394, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399, 2400, 2401, 2402, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2406, 2407, 2408, 2409, 2410, 2411, 2412, 2413, 2414, 2415, 2416, 2417, 2418, 2419, 2420, 2421, 2422, 2423, 2424, 2425, 2426, 2427, 2428, 2429, 2430, 2431, 2432, 2433, 2434, 2435, 2436, 2437, 2438, 2439, 2440, 2441, 2442, 2443, 2444, 2445, 2446, 2447, 2448, 2449, 2450, 2451, 2452, 2453, 2454, 2455, 2456, 2457, 2458, 2459, 2460, 2461, 2462, 2463, 2464, 2465, 2466, 2467, 2468, 2469, 2470, 2471, 2472, 2473, 2474, 2475, 2476, 2477, 2478, 2479, 2480, 2481, 2482, 2483, 2484, 2485, 2486, 2487, 2488, 2489, 2490, 2491, 2492, 2493, 2494, 2495, 2496, 2497, 2498, 2499, 2500, 2501, 2502, 2503, 2504, 2505, 2506, 2507, 2508, 2509, 2510, 2511, 2512, 2513, 2514, 2515, 2516, 2517, 2518, 2519, 2520, 2521, 2522, 2523, 2524, 2525, 2526, 2527, 2528, 2529, 2530, 2531, 2532, 2533, 2534, 2535, 2536, 2537, 2538, 2539, 2540, 2541, 2542, 2543, 2544, 2545, 2546, 2547, 2548, 2549, 2550, 2551, 2552, 2553, 2554, 2555, 2556, 2557, 2558, 2559, 2560, 2561, 2562, 2563, 2564, 2565, 2566, 2567, 2568, 2569, 2570, 2571, 2572, 2573,

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## New York Stock Quotations.

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STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Price
Am. Can. & Pk.	32 1/2	33 1/2	32 1/2	33 1/2
Am. Locomotive	47 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2
Am. Smelter	112 1/2	113 1/2	112 1/2	113 1/2
Am. Sugar	124 1/2	125 1/2	124 1/2	125 1/2
A. C. F.	79 1/2	80 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2
Atchafalpa	41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Rep. I. & Steel	17 1/2	18 1/2	17 1/2	18 1/2
T. C. & A. preferred	77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2
U. S. Leather	13 1/2	14 1/2	13 1/2	14 1/2
West. Union	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
West. Tel.	94 1/2	95 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2
W. O.	100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	101 1/2
Chas. P.	105 1/2	106 1/2	105 1/2	106 1/2
C. & O.	49 1/2	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
C. & G. W.	13 1/2	14 1/2	13 1/2	14 1/2
C. & M. S. P.	13 1/2	14 1/2	13 1/2	14 1/2
Consolidated	40 1/2	41 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
Ill. Cent.	79 1/2	80 1/2	79 1/2	80 1/2
I. & N.	143 1/2	144 1/2	143 1/2	144 1/2
Do. Sec.	80 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2
M. & T.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
N. Y. C. & W.	51 1/2	52 1/2	51 1/2	52 1/2
Rock Island	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
Southern Pacific	62 1/2	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
Southern Railway	123 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2	124 1/2
U. Pac. com.	23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	24 1/2
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Sales to noon, \$1,900.

## Butter, Eggs and Produce.

BUTTER.—Holland, 20¢; Danish, 17¢; Swiss, 16¢; creamery, 15¢; packed, 14¢; country, 13¢; 1-lb. tubs, 12¢; 5-lb. tubs, 11¢; 10-lb. tubs, 10¢; 20-lb. tubs, 9¢; 40-lb. tubs, 8¢; 80-lb. tubs, 7¢; 160-lb. tubs, 6¢; 320-lb. tubs, 5¢; 640-lb. tubs, 4¢; 1280-lb. tubs, 3¢; 2560-lb. tubs, 2¢; 5120-lb. tubs, 1¢; 10240-lb. tubs, 0¢.

EGGS.—Live, 15¢; fresh, 14¢; spring, 13¢; old, 12¢; 1-lb. for 12; 1-lb. for 11; 1-lb. for 10; 1-lb. for 9; 1-lb. for 8; 1-lb. for 7; 1-lb. for 6; 1-lb. for 5; 1-lb. for 4; 1-lb. for 3; 1-lb. for 2; 1-lb. for 1; 1-lb. for 0.

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MISS SCHMIDT'S BIRTHDAY. A pleasant birthday party was given to Miss Perla Schmidt in honor of her eighteenth birthday, Saturday evening at her home, 2834 Jefferson avenue. The following persons were present: Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Schmidt, Mrs. Clara Schmidt, Misses Nancy, Mary, Lou, Olga, Milford, Teresa, Burke, Josephine, Schindler, Della, Mae and Zola B. Brennecke, Elvira Schmidt, Messrs. E. M. Walsh, Edward Werniger, George Thorne, Ben Cully, Walter Thorne, H. H. Malow, Edgar A. Rice, Charles J. Hasey, A. Denesi and J. W. McClure.

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# LIVESTOCK MARKET.

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## DEATHS.

**DOEDLI**—At 2 o'clock p. m. Sunday, June 18, 1905, John Catherine O'Neil, daughter of Conrad and Ida Doedli, aged 3 years, 11 months and 25 days. Funeral Tuesday, June 20, at 2 p. m., from 3824 Kossuth avenue, to Friends Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

**DUGAN**—Sunday, at 3:45 a. m., at Valley Park, Dr. Dugan, infant son of Bruce and Lillian Dugan, at the age of 5 months. Funeral Monday, June 19, at 2 p. m., from 3727 Hartford street. Funeral private.

**FIEBIG**—Entered into rest on Sunday, June 18, at 3:30 p. m., at Victor Hotel, dearly beloved son of Henry and Alvin Fiebig (nee Meyer), and dear brother of Hilma, Leonie, Gustav, Viola and Miriam Fiebig, after a short illness, at the age of 10 months. Funeral from family residence, 2324 Benton street, Tuesday, June 20, 1905, at 2:30 p. m.

**FRANKLIN**—Tetta Franklin, aged 27 years, beloved wife of Ben Franklin, daughter of Mrs. Mary Obit and sister of Mrs. Annie Leland, Herman, Will, John and Richard. Funeral Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from residence of A. Franklin, 2545 Allen avenue.

**GRONFELDT**—On Saturday, June 18, at 11:40 o'clock p. m., Henrietta Gronfeldt, widow of Mathias Gronfeldt, funeral from residence, 345 South Grand avenue, Tuesday afternoon, June 20, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private.

**HART**—John Hart, beloved son of the late John and Margaret Hart and brother of Brian Hart, died at St. Mary's Hospital, at 11:30 a. m., on Saturday, June 17, 1905, aged 43 years. Funeral from home of J. Bergesch, 1000 Broadway, at 2 p. m., to St. Mary's Church, where the services will be held. Interment at Calvary cemetery.

**JOHNSON**—On Monday, June 19, 1905, at 4:50 o'clock p. m., John A. Johnson, beloved wife of the late John A. Johnson and dear mother of Mattie, Mae, Lillie, John, Richard, Nicholas and Serena Johnson. The funeral will take place Wednesday, June 21, at 10 o'clock a. m., from family residence, 604 Ridge avenue, to St. Mary's Church, where the services will be held. Interment at Calvary cemetery. Friends of family are invited to attend. Davenport (Iowa) papers please copy.

**McDERMOTT**—On Sunday, June 18, 1905, at 11:30 o'clock a. m., John T. McDermott, beloved husband of Nora McDermott, died at St. Mary's Hospital. Funeral will take place Tuesday, June 20, at 2 p. m., from residence of his sister-in-law, Miss Bridget Cavanaugh, 1000 Broadway, to St. Mary's Church, where the services will be held. Interment at Calvary cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. Davenport (Iowa) papers please copy.

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**McGURK**—On Monday, June 19, 1905, at 12 o'clock p. m., John McGurk, beloved wife of John McGurk, sister of Mary McGurk, died at St. Mary's Hospital. Funeral will take place Tuesday, June 20, at 2 p. m., from residence of his sister-in-law, Miss Bridget Cavanaugh, 1000 Broadway, to St. Mary's Church, where the services will be held. Interment at Calvary cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

**MARSHALL**—On Sunday, June 18, 1905, at 11:30 a. m., Mary Marshall, relict of Isaac Marshall and beloved mother of William, Timothy, John, Isaac, and Isaac Marshall, aged 66 years. The funeral will take place from family residence, 1500 South Madison street, Tuesday, June 20, at 2 p. m., to Calvary cemetery, where the services will be held. Interment at Calvary cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. Philadelphia (Pa.) and Camden (N. J.) papers please copy.

**MATTHEWS**—Entered into rest on Sunday, June 18, at 6:15 p. m., after a lingering illness, Edwin B. Matthews, beloved husband of Anna Matthews (nee Fisher), brother of the late Kate B. Matthews, brother of Wade, Harry and Louis Matthews. Funeral will take place Tuesday, June 20, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 1500 South Madison street, to St. Mary's Church, where the services will be held. Interment at Calvary cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. Topeka (Kan.) papers please copy.

**REDDY**—Anna nee Rohan, beloved wife of Daniel Reddy, Sunday afternoon, June 18, at 10 o'clock p. m. Funeral from family residence, 1302 Cass avenue, Tuesday morning, 9 a. m., to St. Louis Church, where the services will be held. Interment at Calvary cemetery. Friends and relatives of the family are requested to attend.

**SHANNAN**—Entered into rest on Sunday, June 18, at 3 a. m., Emma Shannan (nee Mayer), dear mother of James, John, William, and mother of Viola S. Shannan. Funeral from family residence, 1302 Cass avenue, Tuesday morning, 9 a. m., to St. Louis Church, where the services will be held. Interment at Calvary cemetery. Friends and relatives of the family are requested to attend.

**SILH**—On June 18, at 3:30 p. m., George Silh, at the age of 36 years 8 months and 14 days, beloved son of Christina Silh (nee Fischer), brother of Henry Silh and Magdalena Lindemann (nee Silh). Funeral on Tuesday, June 20, at 2 p. m., from 407 North Second street, to Friends Cemetery.

## BURIAL PERMITS.

Amie McGuff, 61, 3533 North Marion; nee McGuff, 61, 12 S. Cornet; acute phthisis pulmonalis. Burial 3:15 p. m. at St. Mary's Church, 2545 Allen avenue. Burial 3:15 p. m. at St. Mary's Church, 2545 Allen avenue.

Charles Kinnerly, 44, 2407 S. 7th; nephritis. Burial 3:15 p. m. at St. Mary's Church, 2545 Allen avenue. Burial 3:15 p. m. at St. Mary's Church, 2545 Allen avenue.

John H. Dugan, 101, 1011 10th; tuberculosis. Burial 3:15 p. m. at St. Mary's Church, 2545 Allen avenue. Burial 3:15 p. m. at St. Mary's Church, 2545 Allen avenue.

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AV. 2531—Southern, suitable for owner; 2 bedrooms; private family; low maintenance.  
 ADALWOOD, 107 N.—Fine rooms; arched windows; 108 day; low weekly rate.  
 R. ST. 1885—Newly furnished room; private family; cold bath; electric light; carpet; phone; \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2 per week.  
 R. ST. 1700—Two furnished rooms; private family; cold bath; electric light.  
 R. ST. 1704—Two newly furnished, large, light housekeeping; \$2 each.  
 R. ST. 1885—Newly furnished rooms; private family; cold bath; electric light; carpet; phone; \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2 per week.  
 R. ST. 1721—Neatly furnished rooms, suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 TYLERMAN AV. 422—Two pretty furnished rooms; bath; gas and all conveniences; private family.  
 INSTANT ST. 1215—Furnished rooms; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 UTUAT AV. 1734—Two furnished, for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 UTUAT AV. 1734—Newly furnished, for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 UTUAT AV. 1506—Front rooms; for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 UTUAT AV. 1918—Rooms for light housekeeping; furnished; \$1.25 up; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 K AV. 2920—Large furnished room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 MAR BL. 4522—2nd-story; well-furnished; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 MAR BL. 4522—South-west; double room; small private family; low bath; private family.  
 MAR BL. 4507—Two gentlemen can reside; cold front room; suitable family.  
 MAR BL. 5185—Vernor blocks; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family; low rates; high-class apartment.  
 N. ST. 1023—Two front connecting rooms; furnished complete for light housekeeping; bath.  
 N. ST. 1735—One nicely furnished room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2018—8—Single or couple rooms; for housekeeping; also hall room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2121—Three rooms; electric light; water, bath, complete for housekeeping; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 429—8—Front or back room; furnished or unfurnished.  
 N. ST. 425—3—Furnished rooms, all conveniences; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 325—3—Connecting rooms; furnished; gas bath; second-story front room; extra; low front; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 425—3—Furnished rooms; for 3 or 4 ladies; also light housekeeping permitted.  
 N. ST. 3409—Three newly decorated; furnished for housekeeping; excepting nice place; fuel gas; \$5 weekly; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 4570—Nice, large furnished room; cold and light; one or two persons.  
 N. ST. 1018—Large room for light housekeeping; furnished; all conveniences; cheap.  
 N. ST. 1616 N.—Large, cold; all conveniences; private family; all conveniences; cheap.  
 N. ST. 1704—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 1225—Furnished or unfurnished for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 1219—Furnished room; for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 4522—Chico light housekeeping; single or in suite; running water; cold; private family.  
 N. ST. 3535—Dolls, nicely furnished for housekeeping or housekeeping; bath; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 1214—Two connecting front rooms; furnished for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 3185—Large second-story room; furnished; and one room on third story; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 3214—Large front room; suitable for light housekeeping.  
 N. ST. 3425—Furnished parlor, front room; suitable for housekeeping; gas cooking; reasonable; private family.  
 N. ST. 3500—Neatly furnished room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 1918—Furnished or unfurnished; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 3140—Large furnished room; cold; closet; \$2 weekly; also cold room.  
 N. ST. 2562—Extra large, nicely furnished front rooms; \$2 and \$2.50 per week; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2015—Front room and adjacent room; \$2.50; hot bath; southern exposure; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 615 N.—Furnished room; quiet, reasonable; bath and electric light; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 3225—Two nice connecting rooms; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2845—Newly furnished room; hot bath; large, cold; electric light; bath; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2217—Second-story front room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2214—Nicely furnished large room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 4331—Large cold front room for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 3409—Large; elegantly furnished; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 4525—Nicely furnished room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 4041—Well-furnished room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 1913—Furnished room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2846—1 unfurnished room with bath; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 4221—Two nicely furnished rooms; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 4525—Elegantly furnished front room; also other rooms; housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 3002—Newly furnished room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2728—Furnished front connecting rooms; gentlemen or housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 3523A—Large, nicely furnished room; piano; very convenient; low rate; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2902—Furnished room for housekeeping; from \$2.25 up; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 3125—Large front and connecting rooms; furnished complete for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 1081—Two unfurnished rooms; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 1104—Nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms; Power Glue and all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 314 N.—Single room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 318—Nice suitable front room for gentlemen; one furnished, one unfurnished; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 826 N.—Rooms from \$1.40 up; for light housekeeping.  
 N. ST. 18—7—Two furnished rooms; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2706—Clean, cool rooms; bath; \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.  
 N. ST. 2706—3 nice rooms; furnished complete for light housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2182A—Elegantly furnished 2-bedroom room; with veranda; cold room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2104—Two nicely furnished rooms; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2706—Large front room and 2nd-story room; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.  
 N. ST. 2186—First-floor parlor; with veranda; suitable for housekeeping; all conveniences; private family.

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

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**LAVER ST., 2816**—Neatly furnished rooms for sleeping; also light housekeeping; reasonable. **LAVER ST., 2841**—Furnished rooms for sleeping; also other rooms; gas bath. **LAVER ST., 2757**—Furnished rooms for sleeping; rooms suitable for one or two persons. **LAVER ST., 3062**—Newly furnished rooms; light housekeeping or sleeping bath. **LAVER ST., 5334**—Pleasant, neatly furnished rooms; also hall room; gas, fine view. **LAGE BL., 4450**—Two 2-story front porch; southern exposure; private family. **LAGE BL., 4059**—Nice room; light housekeeping; also two unfurnished rooms; tiled; reasonable. **LARK ST., 1018**—Two connecting furnished rooms; light housekeeping. **LARK ST., 1018**—Four rooms, in excellent shape; also 2 rooms. **LARK ST., 3004**—Furnished rooms; southern exposure; of separate N. v. o. C. light; reasonable terms. **LARK ST., 3420**—Nicely furnished rooms; suitable use of two conveniences. **LARK ST., 3008**—If you are looking for a comfortable place, call and see us; 2nd and 3rd floors. **LARK ST., 1439**—Cool rooms; furnished; light housekeeping or gentlemen; \$1.50 per week. **LARMS**—Three furnished rooms for sleeping; also 2 rooms; southern exposure. **LARMS**—La. lady employed, having a furnished room; very reasonable; the location; tiled; cool, airy room; **LA 1350**, P. O. Box 1018, 327 Gratiot St. **LARMS**—Three rooms, second floor; light housekeeping. **LARMS**—10 N.—Furnished room; light housekeeping; gentle or ladies. **LAURENCE ST., 2440**—Two large, comfortable, clean to quiet family. **LATH ST., 1115** 8—Newly furnished room; gentlemen or light housekeeping. **LATH ST., 5415**—Furnished rooms; southern exposure; also 2 rooms; very reasonable; to Easton cars; bath; reasonable. **LATH ST., 1115** N.—Furnished rooms; light housekeeping. **LATH ST., 115** N.—Furnished rooms; light housekeeping or light housekeeping. **LATH ST., 814** N.—10 neatly furnished rooms; light housekeeping; \$3.50 each. **LATH ST., 2021**—Furnished room; southern exposure; 2 beds; \$3 per week. **LATH ST., 5214**—Furnished rooms; arranged for housekeeping; bath. **LATH ST., 1075A** N.—Elegantly furnished rooms; hot and cold bath; electric steam heat; southern exposure; reasonable. **LATH ST., 2020**—Two rooms, large porch; two unimproved; rooms; water and gas; reasonable. **LATH ST., 842**—Nice, clean room; hot bath; all conveniences. **LATH ST., 2534**—Furnished rooms; southern exposure; two unfurnished rooms and three furnished rooms; airy and bath. **LATH ST., 2534**—Furnished rooms; southern exposure; also 2 rooms; light service; conveniences. **LATH ST., 1627**—Select your room; furnished; light housekeeping; double and housekeeping; hot bath. **LATH ST., 3035**—Gas second floor; gas store, bath; fine location; acre. **LATH ST., 1077**—Nice room; light housekeeping; \$2.50; back room, \$2; light hot bath. **LATH ST., 2948**—Large, pleasant room; \$3; back room, \$2; housekeeping; village; quiet place. **LATH ST., 3035**—Nicely furnished rooms; in down for the month; reasonable. **LATH ST., 1210**—Furnished rooms; light housekeeping and roomers; \$1 v. o. C. **LATH ST., 3102**—Suite rooms, southern exposure; running water; private to ladies. **LATH ST., 5021**—Nicely furnished room and connecting rooms; first floor; southern exposure; also 2 rooms; light housekeeping. **LATH ST., 4164**—Choice rooms, hot bath; convenient to cars; hot bath. **LATH ST., 4203**—Second-story front porch; also desirable rooms; southern exposure; reasonable. **LATH ST., 4203**—Nicely furnished room; southern exposure; all conveniences; also 2 rooms; light housekeeping. **LATH ST., 4203**—Newly furnished room; southern exposure; private family; room, Delmar 21827.

**For Colored People.**  
**LATH ST., 4200A**—Three rooms to suitable colored people.  
**LATH ST., 327**—Nice basement room; desirable to colored people for laundry.

**ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY**  
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**LAVER ST., 5008**—Cheapest, nicely furnished room; light housekeeping; also 2 rooms; board; reasonable.  
**LAVER ST., 4130**—Large second and third floors with board; terms to suit.  
**LAVER ST., 4215**—Clean, cool second floor; first-class table; respectable roomers; good food; meals if desired. **LAVER ST., 1180** N.—Neatly furnished room; all modern conveniences; light housekeeping; fine location; board; southern exposure; first floor; board; reasonable. **LAVER ST., 5035**—Rooms and board in a nice location; reasonable. **LAVER BL., 5044A**—Suite of rooms; bath; southern exposure; light service; reasonable. **LAVER BL., 4153**—Large, cool room for one person; reasonable; with board. **LAVER BL., 5017**—Rooms with board; electric light; hotel accommodation; reasonable rates. **LAVER BL., 5020A**—Nicely furnished room for two adults; all conveniences; southern exposure; suitable for two; first floor. **LAVER BL., 5022**—Second-floor room; southern exposure; suitable for two; first floor. **LAVER BL., 4058**—Room, good board; hot bath; two gentlemen; \$4.50 weekly; bath. **LAVER BL., 2830**—Nicely furnished second room; good board; all conveniences; reasonable. **LAVER BL., 2830**—If you have a bit too table we feel for you; call and see our table, with bath and phone. **LAVER ST., 2725**—Rooms and board; reasonable. **LAVER ST., 408** N.—Large Apartment; light housekeeping; reasonable. **LAVER ST., 3753**—Furnished rooms, with board; reasonable. **LAVER ST., 3503A**—Nicely furnished room; board; private family; all conveniences; reasonable. **LAVER ST., 3503A**—Nicely furnished room; board; \$4 per week; room; bath for 2. **LAVER ST., 320** N.—Third floor; new; gentlemen; \$4.50 per week. **LAVER ST., 2030**—Respectable men; southern exposure; light service.

**LAVER ST., 2830**—Elegant home in southern family; comfortable; Southern furnished. **LAVER ST., 1637**—Well furnished room; in my own home; near Lafayette; light housekeeping; private fire, free, N. v. o. C.; gas; hot bath; hot water.

ROOMS WITH BOARD-C

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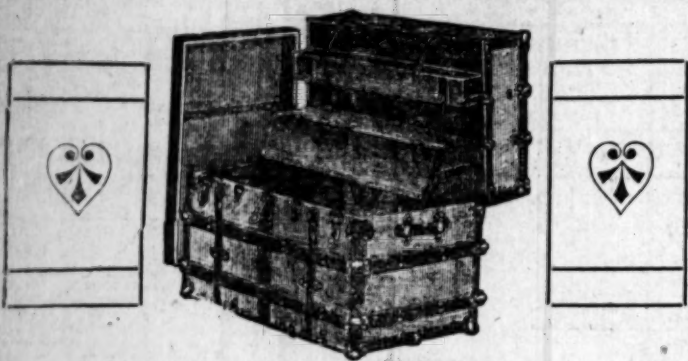
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## LID FLEW OFF AT DELMAR-SUBURBAN

News Spread Rapidly and Thirsty Souls Rushed to Western Edge Resorts.

### GAMBLE AT CREVE COEUR

Public Dance in East St. Louis Stopped by Police and Proprietor Arrested.

If Gov. Folk had been passing through St. Louis Sunday night and felt the need of a drink he could easily have obtained alcoholic refreshment in the western edge of the town, the lid being lifted there to quite a perceptible extent.

At Delmar Garden beer was sold, there being no attempt at concealment of the fact. A rushing business was done, beginning soon after nightfall, and the news that "the lid was off at Delmar Garden" spread rapidly. As a result there was a rush of thirsty souls to Delmar and things went merrily until the resort closed for the night. The same is true of Suburban Park, where all that was necessary to get a glass of beer was to pay for it.

The saloons at Creve Coeur Lake and on Delmar avenue, west of the city limits, did a rushing business all day. Some of them had the front doors closed, but most of them were wide open. Sure thing gambling games were running full blast at Creve Coeur Lake, as they ran during the World's Fair.

On Delmar avenue the front doors were closed and the blinds up, but on the inside drinkers were lined up at the bar ten deep.

Deputy sheriffs were understood to be on duty, but no arrests were made, and there was no manner of interference with the open saloons.

In parts of the county where the saloons have heretofore been closed they were open Sunday.

### Grand Jury to Report.

The county grand jury will make a report to Judge McIlhenny Tuesday. There is an impression that no indictments will be returned against saloon-keepers who have violated the Sunday closing law.

Public dancing and gambling was stopped by the East St. Louis police. Charles Meyer, the lessee of Central Park, started a public dance at his place in defiance of the orders of the police, and was arrested. He gave bond and returned to the park and later started the dance again and was again arrested.

A craps game in Conema's saloon, at Broadway and Collinsville avenue, was raided and August Sebar, John Smith, J. McGuire and A. Kunze arrested. A negro craps game in Thomas Kyle's saloon, on Broadway, was also raided.

In St. Louis there was only one arrest for alleged violation of the Sunday closing law. Charles H. Wolensack, a bartender for Fred Debrecht, 221 South Third street, was arrested.

### Free! Free! Free!

With the Sunday Post-Dispatch next Sunday and every Sunday following, \$1.00 in Blue Trading Stamps. Cut coupon from the FIRST page of the WANT SECTION of the Sunday Post-Dispatch. It will be worth \$1 in Blue Trading Stamps.

### SOLDIERS FAIL TO SAVE HIM

Man's Plunge Into Water at Jefferson Barracks Indicates Self-Destruction.

Despite the efforts of four recruits at Jefferson Barracks to save a man whom they saw fall into the water near the post bakery, only a brown derby hat with three small ventilation holes cut in its crown remain to identify him who drowned without a struggle or a cry for help.

He seemed rather to dive than to fall from the shelving bank, where the current is swiftest, and circumstances indicate that he committed suicide. Recruit Charles Fuller plunged into the water after him and got the hat, but failed to reach the man before he sank.

Watch! Watch! Watch! For the Blue Trading Stamp bulletin in each issue of the Thursday Post-Dispatch.

### FIRE IN MARKET TOWER.

Ladder Stretched 75 Feet and Flames Extinguished.

Fire was discovered in the northwest tower of the Union Market at 5:30 a. m. Monday and a full alarm was sent to engine company No. 12. Seventh and Morgan. Flames were just beginning to burst from the top of the tower when the firemen arrived and a ladder was stretched without a struggle or a cry for help.

The flames originated from sparks from the cooling stoves of the Clark restaurant, directly beneath the foot of the tower. The fire was extinguished with small damage to the roof.

Knox tax for men, \$4. \$5. G. H. Boehmer Shoe Co., sole agents, 410-12 Bdw.

### PARIS BANK SHORT \$7000

Investigation Shows Amount Missing From Recently Dynamited Institution.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PARIS, Ill., June 19.—Investigation of the books of the Edgar County National Bank, recently dynamited here, shows a shortage in the funds of the bank of about \$7000, according to a report given out by the officers who made the examination of the institution's accounts. They have not said how the shortage occurred.

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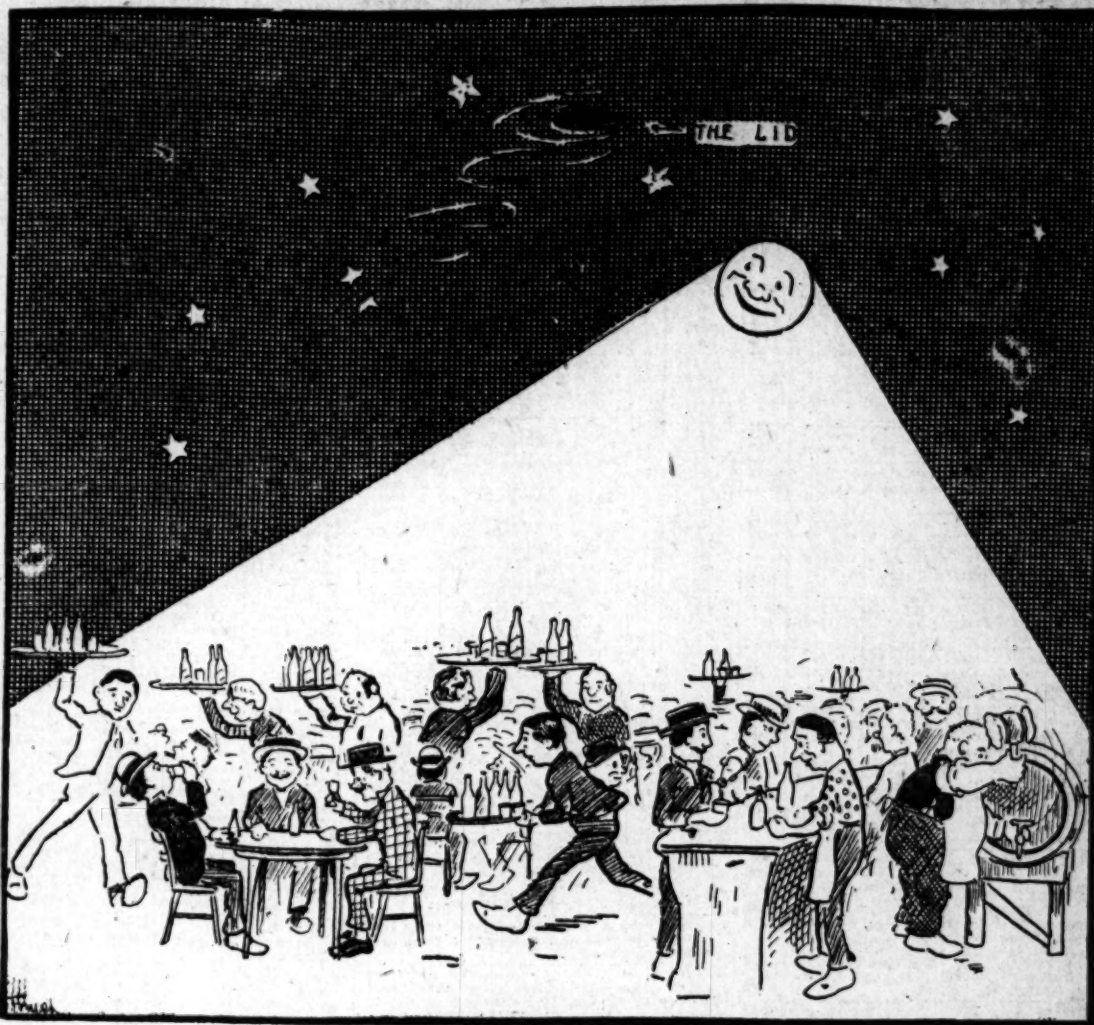
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## THE LID SAILED OVER THE MOON.



Hi diddle diddle,  
The "wets" solved the riddle;  
The Lid sailed over the moon.  
The thirsty crowd laughed  
To see such graft,  
And Folk will hear of it soon.

## WOULD CLOSE ALL STORES ON SUNDAY

Detectives Buy Onions, Tar Soap, Baking Powder and Tacks as Evidence.

Detective Alexander Dunn and Henry Collet, representing the Retailers' Association, spent Sunday buying various articles in stores and Monday were ready to apply for warrants for the arrest of 50 merchants who did business with them the previous day. The purchases were made at the suggestion of President Stewart of the Board of Police Commissioners.

Among the purchases made Sunday by Dunn and Collet were the following articles:

Onions, P. L. Pfeiffer & Co., 316 Market street.  
Handkerchiefs, New York Clothing House, 508 North Seventh street; M. Mahler, 721 Morgan street; Hoch, 1231 Franklin avenue.  
Horse radish, S. Rossi, 1000 Pine street.  
Mustard, Maurer, 1402 Market street.  
Baking Powder, John Schmidt, 801 Morgan street.  
Shoe lace, John Lawless, 824 Morgan street; B. Winter, 1196 Morgan street.  
Tacks, C. J. Sacks, 834 Franklin avenue.  
Peanut candy, Olympia Candy Co., 718 Franklin avenue.  
Collar, Isaac Arenstein, 814 Franklin avenue.

Purchases were also made in many drug stores and an effort will be made to close all kinds of business houses on Sundays.

### WABASH CHANGE OF TIME.

On and after June 25, train now leaving St. Louis for Toledo, Pittsburgh, Detroit, Buffalo, New York and Boston at 9:05 p. m. will leave at 8:30 p. m.

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### MAUDE GONNE IN THE PARIS DIVORCE COURT.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.

PARIS, June 19.—Maude Gonno, "the Irish Joan of Arc," appeared before the Paris court this week to prosecute her divorce suit.

She charges her husband, Maj. John McBride, with preferring the companionship of others to her.

Maj. McBride is not contesting the divorce, but he is striving to get possession of the son of the marriage. A long legal battle will probably result.

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## COULD NOT DRINK THE EVIDENCE

Sergeant Would Not Let Policeman Empty Bottle of Beer, Wanted for Warrant.

"Shall I drink my beer, Sergeant?" asked Policeman O'Connor of Sergeant Henry Hurst of the Fourth District, Monday.

"Certainly not," replied Hurst, sternly, "not in the presence of your superior officer. Anyway, we want it for evidence. Put the bottle in your pocket."

The two policemen were trying to make a case of selling liquor without a license against George Howe, the new proprietor of the saloon at 801 Morgan street, and Sergeant Hurst had just swallowed a glass of beer and was smacking his lips. Policeman O'Connor, prosecuting Attorney Dalton and applied for a warrant against Howe.

They told Dalton that Howe was at the office of the Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, waiting for a warrant against him.

On being told that Howe was at the office of the Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, they refused to issue a warrant, taking the case under advisement instead of reporting it immediately to the Commissioner Mulvihill.

### "BUSINESS NOTICE."

A satin skin secured using Satin Skin Cream and Satin Skin Face Powder. 25c.

### DOWIE TALKS ON GRAFT.

CHICAGO, June 19.—John Alexander Dowie spoke in the Zion City Tabernacle Sunday on "Graft."

"When the hosts of God come in an organized body and wage a conflict with power of evil in Russia, then will the end of the world come, and Russia will be won over to true Christianity," said Dowie.

"In the whole world there are the ten square miles in Zion City and a few far and desert and uninhabited point regions which are not infested with graft, and what a hard time we have trying to keep this ten miles pure."

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